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Births.

DAVIS.—September 12, 1894, the wife of R. Coates, Cassmalia, of a son.

FORD.—September 20, at Narrabri, the wife of Ernest E. Ford, pharmaceutical chemist, of a daughter.

PASCO.—On the 29th September, at Fairlight, Elizabeth Bay Point, the wife of Lieut. Claud Pasco, R.N., of a daughter.

WILSON.—September 30, at E. S. and A. B. ank, Roselle, the wife of M. J. Wilson, of a daughter.

Marriages.

BUCHANAN—FOSTER.—September 26, at St. Paul's Church, Redfern, by Rev. F. B. Boyce, James Buchanan, merchant, Manly, to Margaret, fourth daughter of the late Henry Foster, compositor, of Chippendale.

GARRICK—SADLER.—August 1, at St. Peter's Church, Berry Hills, by the Rev. Joseph Bunbury, Mus. Bac., youngest son of the late Martin Carrick, of Strawberry Hills, to Elizabeth (Lizzie), only daughter of Willis n G. Sadler, of Redfern.

GUNNING—DAVIS.—September 7, 1894, Thomas Gunning, Summer Hill, to Ester Davis, Redfern. No cards.

HANSON—HANSON.—September 15, at St. Luke's, Concord, by the Rev. Canon Moreton, Herbert Charles, second son of Anselm Odline, of Croydon, England, to Lily, second daughter of Albert Hanson, M.E.C.S., of Cremorne, Concord.

Deaths.

ANDERSON.—September 29, at the residence of her son-in-law, Waverley, Maria, widow of the late William Anderson, of Glasgow, aged 76 years.

FORREST.—October 2, 1894, at her late residence, 102 Raglan-road, Alexandria, Sarah, the beloved wife of S. J. Forrest, J.P., after nine years of intense suffering, which she bore with Christian fortitude. A resident of the district for nearly 40 years. In her 76th year.

LITTLE.—October 2, at Coptic, Potts Point, Mrs. J. C. Little, late of Young, relict of the late Mr. M. Treas, surveyor, and sister-in-law of the Rev. T. R. Treas.

MATTHEWS.—September 29, at his residence, Llanthony, Cambewarra, Samuel Matthews, aged 70 years.

In Memoriam.

SQUIRE.—In loving memory of our dear father, William Squire, who died at East Maitland October 3rd, 1891. Inserted by his loving sons, William and Thomas Squire.

JONES.—In affectionate remembrance of our dearly-beloved mother, who departed this life September 29, 1892, at her residence, 113 Alfred-street, North Sydney.

We miss thee from our home, dear mother,
We miss thee from thy place;
A shadow o'er our life is cast,
We miss the sunshine of thy face;
We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond and earnest care;
Our home is dark without thee—
We miss thee everywhere.
Inserted by Jessie, Amy, Fred.

KILEY.—In loving remembrance of Mary Kiley, who departed this life on September 30, 1893, at her residence, Union Hotel, Kent-street. Inserted by her loving nephew and sister, Mrs. and Willie Cook.

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Rome	10464	A. B. Daniell	Oct. 31	Nov. 3	Nov. 7
Britannia	6960	T. Bowden	Nov. 15	Nov. 17	Nov. 21
Ceylon	3577	Street	Nov. 29	Dec. 1	Dec. 5
Australia	7370	T. Reeve	Dec. 10	Dec. 13	Dec. 19
Massilia	6918	H. Harvey	Dec. 24 1895.	Dec. 29	Jan. 2 1895.
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Prinz Regent Luitpold	9890	H. Gathe-mann	Nov. 3	Nov. 10	Nov. 14
Karlsruhe	5340	W. von Schuck'mann	Dec. 3 1895.	Dec. 8 1895.	Dec. 12 1895.
Salzburg	3217	R. Bierstedt	Jan. 2	Jan. 8	Jan. 9
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ALAMEDA	Morse	Dec. 24	Dec. 29	Jan. 17.

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NEW ZEALAND...	WEDNESDAY, 24th October.	TASMANIA. (See Special Advt.)
HOBART DIRECT	TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 4th October, at 12 noon.	TAMBO.
STRAHAN (transhipping at Hobart)	TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 4th October, at 12 noon.	TAMBO.
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ALBANY FREMANTLE GERALDTON	Gabo (from Sydney direct), Oct. 10 (See Special Advertisement).
MARYBOROUGH ROCKHAMPTON	
BRISBANE BUNDABERG MACKAY TOWNSVILLE DUNGENESS JOHNSTONE R. CAIRNS PORT DOUGLAS	Leura, Saturday, Oct. 6, 2 p.m. Konoowarra, Sat., Oct. 13, 2 p.m. Peregrine, Sat., Oct. 20, 2 p.m.

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BRUNSWICK RIVER (transhipping at Ballina), Tomki, Friday, 5 p.m.

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PORT MACQUARIE—Fermount, To-morrow, 7 p.m.
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WEDNESDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, 1894.

A SPECIAL TRAIN, for First-class Passengers leave Sydney for Warwick Farm Course at 1.0 p.m.; Second Class at 12.45 p.m.; and for Horses at 11.15 a.m.

The 6.30, 8.30 a.m., and 1.30 p.m. trains from Sydney will set down passengers at Warwick Farm Junction Platform if required.

RETURN FARES.—First-class to Grand Stand, 14s; First-class to Grand Stand (ladies), 9s; Second-class to Lawn, 8s; First-class to Course, 4s; Second-class to Course, 2s.

CHEAP EXCURSION
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SYDNEY and WISEMAN'S FERRY,
THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER.

Excursionists can leave Sydney by the 9 a.m. and Milson's Point by the 8.45 a.m. trains.

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PASSENGER TRAIN ALTERATIONS.

SOUTH COAST LINE.

COMMENCING 7th OCTOBER.

Alterations will be made and additional trains run on the Illawarra line on SUNDAYS as under:—

The 2.40 p.m. train, Sydney to Loftus, will be discontinued beyond Hurstville.

A new train will leave Sydney for Loftus at 2.30 p.m., calling at Hurstville and all stations beyond.

A new train will leave Como for Sydney at 5.10 p.m., calling at all stations.

The 8.5 p.m. train, Kogarah to Sydney, will start at 7.55 p.m., and cease to call at Tempe, Marrickville, and St. Peters.

The 7.30 p.m. train, Loftus to Sydney, will depart Hurstville at 8 p.m., and cease to call at Carlton, Kogarah, Rockdale, Arncliffe, and Tempe.

A new train will leave Hurstville for Sydney at 8.5 p.m., calling at all stations.

SANS SOUCI TRAMWAY.

The 7.35 p.m. tram, Sans Souci to Kogarah, on Sundays, will leave Sans Souci at 7.30 p.m.

By order of the Commissioners.
H. M'LACHLAN,
Secretary.

Sydney, October, 1894.

New South Wales Government Railways,
Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 2nd October, 1894.

TENDERS for the WORKS, &c., specified below will be received at the Railway Commissioners' Office, 137 Macquarie-street, Sydney, until Noon on the dates mentioned:—

MONDAY, 8th OCTOBER.
ADDITIONS to STATIONMASTER'S HOUSE at Strathfield. Particulars Existing Lines Office, 58 Bridge-street.

THE LEASING, FOR A PERIOD OF 15 YEARS, OF THE PREMISES KNOWN AS RAILWAY MEAT MARKETS, DARLING HARBOUR. Particulars can be obtained at the Railway Commissioners' Office, and from the Government Gazette.

MONDAY, 29th OCTOBER.
THE PRIVILEGE OF PLACING BOOKSTALLS—which will include the right to sell or distribute books, periodicals, and newspapers—AT THE GOVERNMENT RAILWAY STATIONS, for a period of 5 years from 1st January, 1895. Tenders may be made for the whole or for any one or more Stations, but the amount to be paid for each Station must be stated. Preliminary deposit, 25 per cent. of annual value of Tender. Specifications and full particulars at the Railway Estates Office, 58 Phillip-street, Sydney.

THE LEASING OF THE RIGHT TO SELL LIGHT REFRESHMENTS AT COOTAMUNDRA RAILWAY STATION for the year ending 31st December, 1895. Particulars Railway Estates Office, 58 Phillip-street, Sydney, and Cootamundra Railway Station.

The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order of the Commissioners.
H. M'LACHLAN,
Secretary.

Government Notices.

Department of Public Works,
Sydney, October 2, 1894.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

(For Conditions see Government Gazette.)

TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at this Department until 11 o'clock a.m. on the dates mentioned.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10.
Bridge over Byrnes Creek on Shannerong-road, between Cross roads and La Perouse.
Extension of din. Main to Kenmore Asylum, Goulburn Water Supply.
Installation of Electric Light at Berrima Gaol.
Erection of Courthouse at Dandaloo

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24.
Bridge, Reese's Creek, road Casino to Mount Lindsay.
Construction of Service Reservoir, Contract No. 4 Junee Water Supply.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5.
Bridge, M'Intyre River, at Inverell.
J. H. YOUNG.

COOK'S Excursion to Melbourne leaves Sydney, Oct. 18. Fares: £3 1st, £2 2nd class. 4 Hunter-st.

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First Race to start at 2.10 p.m.

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11.15 a.m., Horse-boxes
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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2.
In Equity.—(Before Mr. Justice OWEN, Chief Judge in Equity).

JOHNSON AND WIFE v. POLLARD.

Mr. Kemp, instructed by Mr. John Howarth (for S. P. Kemp, of Hay), appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Rogers, Q.C., and Mr. Knox, instructed by Messrs. Macnamara and Smith (for Messrs. Robertson, Norton, and Robertson, of Hay) for the defendant. The plaintiffs are John Johnson and Jane Johnson, his wife, the executrix and executrix of the estate of William Brown, deceased, and from their statement of claim it appeared that about October, 1865, William Brown purchased from James Harrison Pollard, for the sum of £10, portion of 1 acre 3 roods of land at Hay, bounded by Moppett, Hatty and Orana streets. The money was paid, but Brown did not obtain any conveyance or deed in respect of the land, though it was repeatedly promised. Upon making the payment he entered into possession of the land and erected a cottage upon it, in which he resided continuously with his wife and children, and he made other improvements on the land during his decease. Brown died on the 1st January, 1870, intestate, and his widow and children continued to reside upon the land without molestation or remonstrance from James Harrison Pollard, who was previously well aware that Brown had erected and was residing in the cottage. In October, 1875, Mrs. Brown married the plaintiff Johnson, and continued to reside on the land with him. In February, 1892, James Harrison Pollard died, and in August, 1893, the defendant, Sarah Ann Pollard, ejected plaintiffs from the land. Plaintiffs now asked for a decree that the contract of sale between Brown and Pollard was binding in Equity, and that the late William Brown was the beneficial owner of the land; that defendant might be declared to be trustee for the female plaintiff, and be restrained by injunction from dealing with the land adversely to her rights, and that defendant might be ordered to transfer the land to the plaintiffs.

The defendant did not admit the contract of sale under which the plaintiffs claimed to be entitled to the land, or that J. H. Pollard repeatedly promised Brown that he would give him a proper conveyance. She also declined to admit that Brown entered into possession of the land and erected a cottage upon it in which he resided continuously. About the 26th April, 1865, defendant obtained a judgment against plaintiffs in an ejectment action and ejected them from the land, and she submitted that even if the allegations contained in the statement of claim were correct plaintiffs were barred by their laches and acquiescence from obtaining the relief sought for, and further, were precluded by the judgment in the ejectment action from maintaining the suit.

The case stands part heard.

(Before Mr. Justice MANNING.)

RE THE FEDERAL BANK, LIMITED.

Mr. A. H. Simpson, instructed by Messrs. Fisher, Bailo, and Macnaab, appeared for the official liquidator of the Federal Bank, and moved for an order authorising the Master in Equity to direct that dividends be paid to creditors in New South Wales from time to time upon proof that dividends had been declared by the official liquidator in Victoria. In support of the application a communication was read from the Victorian liquidator intimating that a dividend of 1s in the £ would shortly be declared in that colony.

Application granted.

INTESTATE ESTATES.—The following orders of Court to collect were granted the Curator of Intestate Estates during the month of September last:—Geo. Clarence, Wm. S. Smith, Wm. Campbell, Thos. Venus, Ernest Boult, Fanny Blackman, Celia S. Rogers, Martha Knight, Patk. O'Brien, Thos. Thompson, Matthew Ryan, Thos. Ryan, Jas. Bertin, Bernard Davis, Edward Breese, Wm. Gilbody, Alfred, Jno. Cox, Margt. Hollywood, Chas. De Pare, Wm. Blackman, Thos. I. Mangin, Joseph Sampson, Arthur Rosehof, Chas. Bishop, Stephen Symonds, Dennis Cunningham, Victor Falkner, Hanley Bennett, S. M. B. Burton, Jno. Sutherland, Wm. Bastable.

In Bankruptcy.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice MANNING.)

MOTION UNDER SECTION 130.

Re Alfred Lord. The hearing of a motion under section 130 was adjourned to the 29th instant.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. ARTHUR HENRY.)

SUFFICIENCY OF CERTIFICATE.—*In re Registrar of Titles.*

Sir Ernest Giles Seymour. The Registrar said: Upon the hearing of this application on the 25th September I stated that, in my opinion, the bankrupt had committed three offences:—1. That he continued to trade and obtain credit after knowing himself to be insolvent. 2. That he contracted debts without having at the time reasonable or probable expectation of being able to pay them. 3. That he carried on business by means of a fictitious name, and I also stated that the certificate must be suspended for a considerable period. Mr. Manning then, on behalf of the opposing creditor, asked for costs against the bankrupt. On that point, and as to the period of suspension, I reserved my decision, stating that the period of suspension would to some extent depend upon whether I granted the application for costs. With regard to this question of costs Mr. Manning referred to the case Re Lander, 1 Ch. C., p. 100. In that case Mr. Justice Manning said: "Where a certificate application has been successfully opposed, and it has been a proper case to oppose, I have imposed the condition upon the bankrupt that he should pay the costs before getting his certificate, because I think creditors ought to be encouraged to come in here for the sake of commercial morality and expose what is wrong. If they know that in a proper case they will get their costs, so far as the Court can award them, I think it will be an inducement to them to come." In most applications for certificates of discharge I experience great difficulty from the fact that there has not been sufficient inquiry and investigation into the conduct and affairs of the bankrupt, which is not the fault of the official assignees, but is due generally to the apathy of creditors. This is a complaint constantly made to me by official assignees. No doubt, creditors frequently hold back because, having already suffered a loss through the conduct of the bankrupt, they shrink from increasing that loss by employing a solicitor to oppose the certificate application, and I suppose they grudge the same taken up by an attendance to examine the bankrupt in that behalf. But without the assistance of the creditors it is impossible for the official assignee to make an adequate investigation into the bankrupt's conduct. The creditors alone can be in a position to expose all the transactions of the bankrupt and properly instruct a solicitor. To check the readiness of creditors to come forward by making them pay their own costs or reducing their dividend by ordering the payment of costs out of the estate might have a deplorable result. I think the order that the bankrupt should pay the costs of the opposing creditors before the certificate be issued to him, and in this case I suspend the issue for two years on the grounds above mentioned.

CERTIFICATES GRANTED.

Certificates were granted to William Henry Crawley and John Reid Stewart.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS ADJOURNED.

Edward Millett (affidavit in reply to report of official assignee to be filed), to 9th instant; Donald Fleming (accounts to be filed), to the 23rd instant; Robert Hudson (evidence to be adduced relative to giving up security), to the 16th instant; David O'Rourke, to the 9th instant.

EXAMINATIONS.

Re James Walter Waller. Mr. Mark Mitchell appeared for the official assignee. The bankrupt deposed that he had been in partnership with Alexander Taylor at Candelo. They traded as Taylor and Co. Witness signed his petition and then went to Melbourne. He was bankrupt there in June about the year 1893. He sequestrated then as Walter Waller. He was christened as Walter Waller. He used to sign "James Walter Waller" before he came to Sydney. After his former sequestration he traded as James Walter Waller. He was bankrupt in New Zealand in 1885, he thought.

Re William Murdock Wesslink. Mr. Quinlan attended to watch the proceedings on behalf of the bankrupt. The bankrupt deposed that he was employed in the Federal Bank at Melbourne for nine years. He had also been manager of the Hay branch of the Federal Bank. He had often signed bills which came into the hands of the Federal Bank. Neither Munro nor Davy was a dummy for him. Davis was speculating in shares. If the speculations had been successful witness would have got commission. He expected half profits from the speculations.

Re James Tanner. The bankrupt was briefly examined.

CREDITORS' PETITION ADJOURNED.

M. Campbell and Co. v. Mary Hartmann. Mr. Quinlan appeared for the petitioning creditors. It was stated that a settlement was pending. The hearing of the petition was adjourned to the 18th instant.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

George Jacobs, of Tamworth, butcher. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

Thomas Steele, of Wallsend, miner. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

John Thomas Price, of Coonabarabran, labourer. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

James Perkins, of Tullimbar, Albion Park, formerly of Bellawongrah, Public school teacher. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

Ninian Melville, of Dover-street, Summer Hill. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

John Barnett, of Canton-street, Canterbury, quarryman. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

Stephen Barnett, of Birrell-street, Moorefields, quarryman. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

Josiah Chadwick, of Tower Hall, Enfield, stonemason. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

Thomas Dun, of Bungwall. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

Jane Dwyer, of Womerah-avenue, Darlinghurst, boarding-house keeper. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

Adele Barretta Townsend, of Parkes. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

Richard William Johnston, of Cambridge-street, South Kingston (formerly of Walker-street, North Sydney), temporary clerk in the Civil Service. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

Frederick Lyon Weiss von Mangerhausen, of Elizabeth-street, translator, master, writer, &c. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

William Graham, of Robertson, storekeeper. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

George Frederick Wheeler, of Leichhardt, butcher. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

George Henry Lorsin, of Alice-street, Kogarah, out of business. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.—TUESDAY.

(Before his Honor District Court Judge MURRAY and juries).

Mr. C. G. Wade prosecuted on behalf of the Crown.

FORGERY AND UTTERING.

John Bertram, who on the previous day had pleaded guilty to three charges of forgery and uttering, was presented for sentence, but, after hearing the evidence of the prisoner's wife, his Honor further remanded him, to enable inquiries to be made as to Bertram's conduct in Victoria.

REMAND.

John Queally, a young man, surrendered to his bail on a charge of inflicting grievous bodily harm; but, in the absence of an important witness, was remanded, on his own recognisance, to the next sitting of the Court.

MALICIOUSLY INJURING PROPERTY.

Alexander Young pleaded guilty to having maliciously injured a window, the property of Robert Wood, at Balmain, on the 13th September, and was remanded for sentence.

COUNTERFEIT COIN.

Samuel Willis was charged with being in possession of three counterfeit coins purporting to be half-crowns, knowing the same to be counterfeit. Accused was, on 12th September, in Bulfin's New England Railway Family Hotel, and paid for two drinks with two threepenny pieces. He then asked Mrs. Bulfin to change half a crown for him, and presented a coin which Mrs. Bulfin saw was a counterfeit. The police were sent for, and three spurious coins were found on Willis. He gave several stories to account for the coins being in his possession, and when charged he said that he did not know that they were counterfeit. Accused said on 12th September he was drinking, and he did not know how the counterfeits came into his possession. He was, however, found guilty, and remanded for sentence.

NOT GUILTY.

Isabella Seawen, a young woman, was charged with stealing £20, the property of Thomas Monteath, at Sydney, on 13th September. A young man named Monteith said while he was asleep two £10 notes which were in his vest pocket were taken. He gave Seawen in charge, but no money was found on her. Accused was found not guilty and discharged.

BACHELORS.

Alfred Delling, a lad, was charged with breaking and entering the Wesleyan Church in Hay-street and stealing therein two brass musical instruments. On the evening of 3rd September the band in connection with the church mission had a practice, and the instruments were afterwards placed in a cupboard underneath a staircase in the church. Next morning it was found that one of the windows of the church had been opened, a door was unfastened, and there were traces of some person having forcibly entered the building. The instruments—a trombone and saxhorn—were missed, and evidence was given showing that accused had pawned them in different shops on different dates. He had also sold a pawn ticket for one of them. Accused said he had bought the instruments, but the jury found him guilty, and he was remanded for sentence.

BREACH OF THE CHILDREN'S PROTECTION ACT.

Jane Herrison, a middle-aged woman, was charged with having received into her care and custody a child three months old, for adoption and rearing, in consideration of payment, she not being registered as a foster-mother under the Children's Protection Act of 1892, or having received a written permission from a justice of the peace. For the prosecution it was alleged that some time in 1892 accused received a child named Roy Stacey from a woman named Griffin, or Kelly, who paid her £1 to adopt the infant. Griffin had been paid £3 by a woman named Annie Robina Rooke (who is now undergoing a sentence of imprisonment for a breach of the Children's Protection Act in connection with the same child), and it was shown that a woman named Stacey had given her £5 to adopt her baby. Since Roy Stacey had passed into the possession of accused, all trace of him had been lost, and Harrison's explanation that she had given the child to a woman who represented herself as his grandmother was met with evidence showing that at this time she was not in Sydney. Accused swore that she took the child from Griffin out of pure charity, and was given the £1 to buy clothing for him. She expended the money in this direction, and afterwards gave the infant to a woman who represented herself as the child's grandmother. The prisoner was found guilty and remanded for sentence.

TO-DAY'S CASES.

George Keans, maliciously wounding with intent; Frank Wright, larceny; Michael Mockler, robbery in company; Mary O'Donnell, unlawfully abandoning child whereby its life was endangered; Elizabeth Kelly, breach of the Children's Protection Act.

METROPOLITAN QUARTER SESSIONS.

TUESDAY.

(Before his Honor Judge DOCKER and Jurors.)

Mr. W. L. Morewether prosecuted on behalf of the Crown.

FORGERY.

Percy George Whitehall, who was found guilty of forging an order for the insertion of an advertisement in "Cook's Australasian Travellers' Gazette," was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment, with hard labour, in Darlinghurst Gaol, the sentence to be suspended under section 6 of the First Offenders Probation Act. Prisoner was bound over in one surety of £50, and himself in £50, to be of good behaviour for 12 months, and come up for sentence if called upon.

UTTERING COUNTERFEIT COIN.

John Meyers, Albert M'Laughlin, and Richard Bennett, young men, were charged with having uttered at Petersham on 22nd August a counterfeit coin purporting to be a crown. M'Laughlin pleaded guilty, and the other accused, Meyers and Bennett, pleaded Bennett. At the conclusion of the Crown case, his Honor directed the jury that there was no case against Meyers and Bennett, and they were found not guilty, and remanded on another charge. M'Laughlin was remanded for sentence.

John Meyers, Albert M'Laughlin, and Richard Bennett were then charged with uttering a counterfeit coin, purporting to be a half-crown, at Marrickville on 22nd August. M'Laughlin again pleaded guilty, and was remanded for sentence. Mr. Burke defended Bennett. Crown case was that Meyers and Bennett were in company with M'Laughlin when he passed the spurious coin, and were acting in concert with him. The jury found Meyers and Bennett guilty, and they were remanded for sentence.

CHARGE OF STEALING.

James Martin was charged with stealing £5 from William Alfred Williams, at Sydney, on 17th July. For the Crown it was alleged that Williams being desirous to purchase a business, and introduced by accused to a man named Dick who had a "sausage" shop for sale. An agreement to purchase was arrived at between the vendor and Williams, and next day Martin called on the intending purchaser and said he wanted £5 to bind the bargain. Accused received this amount, but never handed the money over. The defence, which was conducted by Mr. Moss, was that the £5 was the commission to which accused was entitled for having negotiated the sale of the business. Before the conclusion of the case for the defence the jury intimated that they were satisfied that there was no intention on the part of the accused to defraud, and had come to the conclusion that he was not guilty. He was therefore discharged.

THE SAME PRISONER TO-DAY.

Michael Matthew Healey and John Walker, inflicting grievous bodily harm and (2) assault.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge.—At 10 a.m.: Little v. Bridson, motion to continue injunction; Wall v. Wall, decree; Bennett and Wilson, No. 19, petition for appointment of new trustee; Commissioners for Railways and claim of W. Foster and others, petition for payment out; Commissioners for Railways and claim of W. Foster and others, petition for payment out; Hopgood and others v. Watson, motion for commission; Herbert v. Conley, motion for leave to amend statement of claim; Equitable Life Insurance Society v. Atkinson, summons to vary certificate; Johnson v. Pollard, part heard.

Before the Master in Equity.—At 10.30 a.m.: Chamberlain v. Andrews, for directions.

Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: The Annandale Copper-mining Company v. Marsden, to settle minutes of decree. At 11 a.m.: Herbert v. Conley, to settle minutes of order. At 11.30 a.m.: D. C. M'Gregor, deceased, and T. P. Act, to settle minutes of order. At 12 m.: Sydney Real Estate Bank, to settle minutes of order.

Chamber list.—At 10 a.m.: Ex parte Bunce, prohibition Simms v. Richardson and others, change of venue; Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board v. the Newcastle and Wallsend Coal Company, Limited, for leave to appeal to the Privy Council; Kelly and another, trading v. Robinson, to amend declaration; same v. Austin, to amend declaration; Attorney-General v. Boanson Smith, N. P. Nelson and Co. claimants, Sheriff's interpleader; in re H. C. G. Moss and A. Hale, gents, &c., to have Public Trustee, &c.

Probate Office.—Before the Prothonotary: Buckle v. Hordern, 11; Emanuel v. Finlay and others, 12; Gillies v. Solomon, 1.30; Nightingale v. Fieldhouse, 2.15. Before Chief Clerk: Ex parte Harris, 10.15; Fraser and others v. Ellis and others, 10.30.

Before the Registrar in Divorce.—Divorce business, 9.15 to 11.

Probate Office.—At 11 a.m., before the *Registrar*: To proceed on accounts in the following estates:—Thos. Wilson, John Mansfield, Thos. Davis; at 2.15 p.m.: Edward Ryan.

Before the Judge in Bankruptcy.—At 11: In re John Black, motion under section 130.

Before the Chief Clerk in Bankruptcy.—At 2: In re French, settlement of minutes. At 2.15: In re Dixon, taxation of petitioning creditors' costs. At 2.30: In re Batchelor, taxation of respondents' costs.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—Certificate applications: George Weaver, William Collins, Jos. Palmer, Townshend Donald Hill, Thomas Alex. Onus, Michael William Kavanagh. Motions for release: Alex. Rose Falconer, Hylton Hall Sutter. Motions for approval of resolutions: Robert William Haworth, William Rooke Robert William and George Alfred Haworth, public examination.

DISTRICT COURT.—WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3.

(Before his Honor Judge Coffey.)

Robertson v. Wilson, M'Laughlin v. Mann and another, Ireys v. Meyers, Graham v. Rodd, Middleton v. Metropolitan Cold Storage Company, Murnane v. Gilfoyle, Coutie v. Murphy, Thompson v. Rudd and another, Whitelaw v. Farrell, Middleton v. Farrell, Municipal Council of Manly v. Marks, Woodhouse v. Milne and others, Anderson v. Green.

Last called punctually at 10 a.m.

POLICE COURTS.

THE CONFIDENCE TRICK.

A man named Robert Sergeant appeared on remand in the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon charged with obtaining the sum of £6 from John O'Brien by means of the confidence trick, and with intent to defraud. The facts were that the prosecutor, O'Brien, had recently arrived from Queensland. He met the accused at the General Post Office and asked to be directed to the A.U.S.N. Company's wharf. The accused offered to conduct him thither, and on the way stated that he would be a passenger by the same vessel by which O'Brien intended to proceed. O'Brien placed his luggage on a boat, and the two men then went to a house where the accused said he resided. The accused asked the prosecutor for change for a £10-note. The latter handed the accused £6, saying that that was all he had, and Sergeant disappeared. The evidence was conclusive, and Mr. Delohery, S.M., sentenced the man to six months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

STEALING FROM THE PERSON.

At the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. G. H. Smithers, S.M., William Harrison, 27, labourer, was sent to gaol for one month with hard labour, for stealing a purse from the person of Henrietta Austin.

A FRACTIOUS INDIVIDUAL.

Albert Cunningham, 30, tobacco-twister, for bad language in Riley-place, was yesterday fined £1 at the Water Police Court, and for assaulting Constable Brown who arrested him he was further ordered to pay £3, with the alternative of two months' gaol.

A SUSPECTED PERSON.

A young man named Frederick Norris, described as a hairdresser, was charged in the Central Police Court yesterday with being a suspected person found frequenting the Redfern railway station with intent to commit a felony, to wit, to steal. At about 9 a.m. on Eight-hour Day the accused was given into custody by a railway official, who had seen him hustling from place to place, but making no attempt to enter a train. Subsequently Norris was caught as he was being pursued by a man named George Thorn, into whose pocket Norris had inserted his hand. When accused was searched Senior-constable Jeffes found upon him two ladies' pocket-handkerchiefs, besides other articles. When charged the witness said he had only just arrived from Queensland. Mr. Addison, S.M., sent him to gaol for four months, saying that he was very well known.

ASSAULT ON A CONSTABLE.

Michael Buckley, 37, labourer, appeared in the Central Police Court yesterday to answer a charge of assaulting Constable William Masters in the execution of his duty. The accused pleaded guilty. The constable stated that he was assaulted while he had a prisoner in custody. The accused struck him a violent blow in the mouth and also knocked his helmet off. The man was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

STEALING DUCKS.

In the Central Police Court yesterday two Chinamen named Mau War, 21, and Ah Wah, 31, were charged with stealing four ducks, value 10s, the property of Tue Hong Low. The ducks were taken from a basket in the prosecutor's yard. Each of the accused received a sentence of two months' hard labour.

LICENSING COURT.

The weekly meeting of the Central Licensing Bench was held yesterday at the police offices, Liverpool-street. Mr. Addison, S.M., presided, and there were also present Messrs. Giles and Smithers, S.Ms., and Mr. Penny, L.M. Owing to police objections, renewals of colonial wine licenses were refused to Anthony Quinquinaud, 324 York-street, and Ambrose Roncallo, Market-street. Transfers of publicans' licenses were granted in the following cases:—John James Leary to James Stewart, Central Courthouse Hotel, George and Liverpool streets; John Clune to Edward Cummings, Clare Castle Hotel, George-street West; Wm. Warren to John M'Cabe, Unique Hotel, Druitt and Sussex streets; and Christopher Knight to Alfred William Bartlett, United States Hotel, Sussex and Druitt streets. Acting on police objections, the Bench refused a transfer from Julia Claydon to Malcolm G. Cullen for the Gladstone Hotel, Arncliffe.

CHARGE OF STEALING ZINC.

In the Redfern Police Court yesterday, before Mr. C. Delohery, S.M., James Mabor, 44, a labourer, was charged with having stolen about 1 cwt. of zinc, the property of Alfred and Ernest Wunderlich. The zinc was stolen from the prosecutors' premises, in Baptist-street, Redfern, about a fortnight ago, and was afterwards discovered by the police in a Chinaman's store, in Goulburn-street, city. It was alleged that the accused sold it to the Chinaman. Maber was committed for trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions.

RIOTOUS BEHAVIOUR AT BOTANY.

Frederick Keuer, 29, and Alfred Manning, 27, were severely dealt with by Mr. Delohery, S.M., in the Redfern Police Court, for having created a disturbance at Sir Joseph Banks Grounds, Botany, on Eight-hour Day. For riotous behaviour each was fined £2, with the option of one month's imprisonment, and for having used obscene language a further penalty of £5, or three months' gaol, was inflicted.

ROSEHILL FESTIVITIES.

At the Parramatta Police Court yesterday William Daley was charged with having assaulted William Clancy at Rosehill on Sunday. It was stated that Clancy had his hands in his pocket when accused struck him in the face with a stick. Accused said some larrikins had knocked him down and kicked him, and in rising he struck out with his cane, and the complainant coming in the road received the blow. He was fined 20s. James Watson was charged with having on Monday, at Rosehill, played an illegal game of chance. As he had been convicted on a similar charge on a former occasion, he was sentenced to one month's imprisonment. Chas. Masterfield was fined 40s, or two months, for using bad language at Rosehill. Joseph Benn was similarly dealt with for a like offence.

DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY.

At the Paddington Police Court yesterday, before Captain Fisher, S.M., Bridget Flynn was fined £3, and 4s 10d costs of court, for destruction of property in the Centennial Park. Defendant's horse was grazing in the park, and breaking away from the person who was holding it damaged one of the statues.

DEATH IN THE HOSPITAL.

VERDICT OF MANSLAUGHTER.

AN UNREGISTERED PRACTITIONER COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

The adjourned inquest on the body of Mrs. Kirby, late a resident of Wallerawang, who died in the Sydney Hospital two weeks ago, was concluded at the Coroner's Court yesterday, by the City Coroner, Mr. J. C. Woore.

Mr. Shortar appeared on behalf of Mr. W. B. Turner, an unregistered medical practitioner, who had treated Mrs. Kirby prior to her removal to Sydney.

William Mogford Hamlet, Government Analyst, deposed that he had made an analysis of the pills which had been brought down with Mrs. Kirby from Wallerawang. They did not contain any mineral or vegetable poison.

Dr. Richard Leeper, a registered medical practitioner at Lithgow, deposed he was called to see Mrs. Kirby on the 14th September. He found her to be suffering from typhoid fever in the third or fourth week. The pills which had been given her would not have done any harm. He had recommended her removal to the hospital. He suggested Bathurst. Mrs. Kirby was also suffering from congestion of the lungs.

Dr. Jenkins deposed that he was at Wallerawang on the 30th August last, and having previously treated Mrs. Kirby, he went to see her. Both she and her husband, who had since died, seemed very ill, and he was convinced she was suffering from typhoid fever. He was told that they were under the care of Mr. Turner, and witness, thinking that that gentleman was registered, said he could not interfere.

Dr. Rennie deposed that he had made a post-mortem examination of the body of Mrs. Kirby. Death was due to typhoid fever. Both lungs were affected. The typhoid had been present four or five weeks, and for a practitioner not to have discovered it was in his opinion due to ignorance.

The jury returned a verdict of manslaughter against William Beattie Turner, and added a rider, thanking the Rev. Mr. Amos for his care of the bereaved family in their trouble and affliction.

William Beattie Turner was committed for trial at the present sittings of the Central Criminal Court. Bail was allowed.

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Secretary.

BOROUGH OF NEWCASTLE.

CORPORATION DEBENTURES.

LOAN OF £7000 UNDER MUNICIPALITIES ACT OF 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Borough of Newcastle, having obtained the sanction of His Excellency the Governor, intend, at the expiration of fourteen days from the publication of this advertisement (in exercise of the powers conferred by the 190th section of the Municipalities Act of 1867), to borrow the sum of Seven Thousand Pounds (£7000), by Debentures of £100 each, having a currency of five years, and bearing interest at the rate of 6 per centum per annum, secured on the General Revenue of the Municipality, which is now estimated at £27,000.

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Interest on the proposed loan will be paid half-yearly on 1st December and 1st June in each year, at the London Bank of Australia, Limited, Newcastle, Sydney, or Melbourne, and the principal money will be repayable at same rank and place, free of all charges, on 1st December, 1899.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at this office, Council-chambers, Newcastle, until 7 o'clock p.m. on 1st NOVEMBER, 1894, from persons willing to purchase the whole or any part of the Corporation DEBENTURES under the foregoing conditions.

Each Tenderer must state the number of Debentures required.

Tenders to be addressed to the Mayor of Newcastle, accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent. of the amount of the Debentures tendered for; and, if accepted, the balance and premium (if any) must be paid to the Town Clerk, at his office, on or before 1st December, 1894, otherwise the deposit will be forfeited, and become the property of the Corporation. Debentures will be issued on completion of the transaction, bearing date 1st December, 1894.

No tender below par will be considered. Forms of Tender, and any particulars may be obtained on application.

EDWARD S. HOLLAND,
Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office,
Newcastle, 28th September, 1894.

BOROUGH OF NEWCASTLE.

CORPORATION DEBENTURES.

SPECIAL LOAN £10,000.

Under Borough of Newcastle Lighting Act, 55 Victoria.

The COUNCIL of the BOROUGH OF NEWCASTLE, having obtained the sanction of his Excellency the Governor, intend at the expiration of fourteen days from this date to borrow by DEBENTURES the sum of £10,000, in pursuance of the powers given under section 5 of 55 Victoria, the Borough of Newcastle Electric Lighting Act, by Debentures of £100 each, having a currency of twenty years, bearing interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, secured on the Special Rate for Lighting, the Electric Light Plant, General Rates, and Revenue, which plant has been purchased at a cost of £10,000.

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THE ABOVE WILL BE FOUND FIRST-CLASS LOTS, AND ARE IN SPLENDID CONDITION.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. Edward Clarke to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 4th October, at 2.30 p.m., the following for agistment charges :—
Bay filly, agisted March 1, 1893
Grey gelding, agisted (Manning) August 7, 1893
Cream mare, agisted (J. Huff) July 20, 1893.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. CLIFT BROS., Breeza, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on THURSDAY, October 11, at 2.30 p.m.,
40 HORSES.

SYDNEY CORPORATION SALE YARDS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at the Corporation Yards, THIS DAY, Wednesday, October 3, at usual hour,
35 extra prime fat calves, per rail from Gundagai.

MILCH COWS. MILCH COWS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Railway Yards, 827 George-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, October 4, at half-past 10 o'clock,
On account of Messrs. S. M'Minn, D. Buffier, Mesdames Bros., Thomas Briggs, and other owners,
60 first-class milch cows, in full milk, with young calves at foot, from the best dairies in the Southern and Hunter districts.
At half-past 3 o'clock,
30 fat and dry cattle.

BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Railway Yards, 827 George-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, October 4, at 3 o'clock,
40 extra prime fat calves, from Gundagai.
45 ditto, from Liverpool, Campbelltown, and Camden.
80 prime fat pigs, from the Hunter River.
60 ditto, from Picton and Camden
100 ditto, from Burrangorang
45 ditto, suburban lots.
Also,
200 first-class store pigs, from Orange.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
All lots not specially advertised.
And at 12 o'clock,
All lots specially advertised,
Regular Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown or elsewhere any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of horses.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
8or harness horses, all young and staunch, suit mounted police and light harness work.

TO 'BUS PROPRIETORS AND OTHERS.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. W. J. M'DONALD to sell by auction, on the premises, Rookwood, Homebush, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock,
8 horses and harness, 2 omnibus cars; also, right of road.

COACH HORSES. 'BUS HORSES.

VAN HORSES. CAB HORSES.

BUGGY AND SADDLE HORSES.

4 GRAND WHITE HORSES. 2 SPLENDIDLY-MATCHED CREAMY HORSES.
FROM WALTER HENESS'S NOTED STUD,
THE WH4 BRAND.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, have been instructed by J. T. HENESS, Esq., to sell by auction, at Camperdown,
THIS DAY, Wednesday, 3rd OCTOBER, at 2.30 p.m.,
90 head of great, well-bred, upstanding colts, bred by that well-known breeder of that class, Mr. Walter Heness, and as Mr. J. T. Heness purchased from his father the pick of the whole stud, there can be no question as to what sort of a lot will be yarded.

There are several well-matched pairs, one special pair of CREAMY HORSES, real beauties, and a grand team of FOUR WHITE HORSES.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS.

The Balance of Mr. Heness's HORSES (50 more) will be sold THIS DAY, at 2.30, and include 2 grand White Horses.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited.

HORSES. HORSES.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. have received instructions from J. French, Esq., Gundagai, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY Next, at half-past 2 o'clock,
20 head horses.

GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and COMPANY, Limited, sell Marsupial skins, Wool Exchange, 10.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, TO-DAY, Wednesday, at Maquarie Place Stores,
Leather, at 10.30 a.m.

CITY YARDS.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 10 o'clock sharp,
1 truck prime fat calves, from Trangie
1 truck ditto ditto ditto, from Singleton
50 extra prime pigs, by steamer.

CORPORATION YARDS.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,
1 truck prime fat calves, from Nevertire.

CITY YARDS.
THIS DAY, Wednesday, OCTOBER 3.

J. C. YOUNG and CO. will sell by auction as above, at usual hour,
30 prime fat calves, from Quirindi
30 prime fat calves, from Maruhrah
30 prime fat calves, from Braidon
30 prime fat calves, from the Hunter
100 prime fat pigs, from Northern Rivers.

MARSUPIAL SKINS.

NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY,
At the Wool Exchange, 10 a.m., Kangarookins, etc.
At their Stores, 2.30 p.m., Opossumskins.

CITY YARDS.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction, at City Yards, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,
30 prime fat calves, from Breeza
30 ditto ditto ditto, from the Hunter
30 ditto ditto ditto, from S. Gundagai
68 ditto ditto ditto, from Gundagai
67 ditto ditto ditto, by steamer.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st.—Auction Sale This Day, at 12 o'clock, Beef, Mutton, Pigs.

BUTCHERS.—Slaughter Yard, 5a. land, running creek, stabling, dwelling. Mrs. Ross, Glo.-st., Burwood.

M. SYMONDS and CO.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 2.30 p.m.
At 77 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, near King-street.
UNRESERVED SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
DRAWING and DINING-ROOM SUITES
SIDEBOARDS, OVERMANTELS, OIL PAINTINGS
CARPETS, LINOLEUM, STAIR CARPETS
DINNER and TEA SERVICES, E.P. WARE
B.M. DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS, W. W. Matt
Palliasses and Wedding Flock Mattresses
WARDROBES, TOILET PAIRS, M.T. WASHSTANDS
CHEST DRAWERS, TABLES, CHAIRS
KITCHEN DRESSERS, PATENT MANGLE
ICE CHESTS, 2 IRON SAFES.

M. SYMONDS and CO. will sell the above by auction THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m.
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.

To Dealers, Private Buyers, and Others.

CLEAVE has been favoured with instructions from Mrs. Jones to sell the whole of her Household Furniture, Effects, Premises, Freemier, Newtown, Waterloo, to-day, at Scanlan's Halfway House and opposite two doors from the station, comprising drawing-room suite of 9 pieces Jocelet's old brickyard, comprising dr.-room suite of 9 pieces in horsehair, walnut table, brass-mt. double and single bedsteads, wire mattresses, and beds, marble washstand, oilcloth, table, scales, pots, kit. utens. Terms, Cash. No. lies.

D. A. MUNRO will sell, THIS DAY, 2.30, 75 Engine-street, Furniture, bedsteads and beddings, sewing machine, crockery and glass ware, jewellery, kitchen utensils, and sundries. Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

POSTPONEMENT NOTICE.

THE SALE BY AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., advertised to take place This Day, 3rd October, at ANTRIM VILLA, POTTS POINT, is postponed until further notice.

HARRIS and ACKMAN,
Auctioneers and Valuators,
199 Pitt-street.

THIS DAY, OCTOBER 3, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under instructions from the Importers.

125 CASES AMERICAN OAK FURNITURE, comprising Cottage, Nurse, Dining, and Arm Chairs, Arm and Pattern Rockers, Oak-top Tables, &c.
50 CASES ASTOR GRECIAN CHAIRS
35 DITTO THONET'S AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, No. 14
1 DITTO HAIR BROOMS
30 DITTO MACHINE OIL
50 DOZEN CLOTHES LINES, assorted sizes
20 BALES WALL PAPER, gold and Sanitary
2 TONS PATENT DRYERS, 1, 2, 4, 7, 14, and 28 lbs. tins
10 CASES BARREL TUMBLERS
2 DITTO BRUSHWARE
2 BALES BROWN PAPER, 50 x 60
5 CASES WHITE BLOTTING and TISSUE PAPER
20 DITTO C. L. ENVELOPES
100 DOZEN SILVER THIMBLES
20 GROSS NUBIAN WATERPROOF BLACKING
30 CASES BOTTLING WAX
4 BALES SEAMING TWINE
1 CASE NICKEL BULLDOG REVOLVERS
40 CRATES CRAMPION and MASON'S FRUIT JARS
1 Case Eley's 12-bore Sporting Cartridges.

A so, With All Faults,
20 CASES GALVANISED PLAIN IRON "Queen's Head."

To Wholesale and Retail Ironmongers, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the ABOVE by AUCTION, at THEIR MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, OCTOBER 3rd, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

In an Assigned Estate, by Order of the Trustees.

MEN'S FINE FANCY WORSTED SUITS
MEN'S SUPERFINE FANCY TWEED SUITS
MEN'S ALL WOOL TWEED TROUSERS and TROUSERS and VESTS
BOYS' and YOUTHS' TWEED SUMMER SUITS
CHILDREN'S TWEED and LINEN K.B. SUITS
SHIRTS, ROSIERY, MEN'S MERCERY
DRESS MATERIALS and MADE-UP DRESSES
LADIES' and CHILDREN'S UNDERCLOTHING
PRINTS, TRIPOLINE, COLOURED ITALIANS
FLANNELETTES, SATEENS, CAMBRICS
RIBBONS, a very attractive variety
Ladies' Fashionable STRAW HATS
FELT HATS, Men's, Youths', and Boys'
43 GROSS HAIR-NETS, assorted
12 DITTO LOOM ELASTIC, &c.
STOCK of FANCY TWEEDS, COATINGS, SERGERETTES, VICUNAS, FANCY WORSTEDS, &c., &c.

To Drapers, Storekeepers, and Country Buyers.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the ABOVE by AUCTION, at their MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

JOHN F. LISTER will sell by auction, at the Labour Bazaar Auction Rooms, 247a Pitt-street, THIS DAY, the unredeemed sundries and jewellery pledged with Mr. J. J. Burt, of Georgetown, West.
At 2 o'clock, sundries, consisting of field and opera glasses, cutlery, E.P. ware, guns, revolvers, books, clocks, albums, &c.
At 3 o'clock, jewellery, comprising gold and silver lever and Waltham watches; diamond, signet, keeper, and wedding rings; gold albertas, chains, necklets, lockets, pins, studs, brooches and earrings, bracelets, &c., &c.

TO CLOTHING DEALERS AND OTHERS.
THIS DAY,
at our Rooms, 274 Pitt-street,
at 2.30 p.m.

SUPERIOR LOT OF CLOTHING,
the Stock of a Second-hand Dealer,
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING,
IN GOOD ORDER.

DALWOOD and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, WITHOUT RESERVE.

SPECIAL SALE,
at
THE CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS,
274 PITT-STREET, CITY
(between Park and Bathurst streets),
on
FRIDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 5, at 11 a.m.,
removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale,
under favoured instructions from
EVAN G. BASSETT, Esq.,
SYLVERNE,
CONCORD-ROAD, HOMEBUSH.

THE ELEGANT and MODERN FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
Choice Glassware, China, and Electroplate.

Pretty Egg-shell China Tea Set.

Valuable Limoges Porcelain Dinner Service.

Superior Lot of Cutlery and E.P. Ware.

ELEGANT BRASS CORNICE POLES and SILK TAPESTRY and LACE CURTAINS, in Variety.

Very Choice Wall Brackets with Bevelled Plates.

Beautiful Ornaments and Oriental Jardinières.

VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS and WATER-COLOURS,
by T. Peerless, Fletcher Watson, Neville Cayley, &c.

FINEST QUALITY BRUSSELS CARPETS with Borders.
, Tastefully selected and good as new.

HANDSOME HALL FURNITURE IN WALNUT.

MASSIVE EXTENSION DINING TABLE with Patent Screw, nine 9ft.

HEAVILY CARVED DINING-ROOM SUITE in Morocco, consisting of Couch, 2 Easy Chairs, and 6 small Chairs. *,* In splendid order.

MAGNIFICENT WALNUT SIDEBOARD with numerous Drawers, Cupboards, and Cellarette, size 6ft.
, Splendidly-designed Back, fitted with Silvered Bevelled Plates, and in perfect condition.

ENCLOSED DINNER WAGGON of superior manufacture. *,* Made by James Lawson.

BEAUTIFULLY CARVED OVERMANTELS IN WALNUT.

Library Furniture, superior Writing Tables, Copying Press and Stand.

FINE SECRETAIRE BOOKCASE IN WALNUT.
Superior solid Cedar Bookcase, nearly new.

CHOICE COLLECTION OF BOOKS.

ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS.

MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE.

ATTRACTIVE and COSTLY DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in BLEACHED CANE, comprising Settee, 5 Occasional Chairs in pretty designs, and Centre Table, each piece being furnished with rich plush cushions of variegated colours, and Indian silk cover for table.
, Indeed a charming Suite, and worth buying.

Rosewood Card Table, with Cloth Top.
Pretty Occasional Tables and Mantel Drapes.

SUPERB BEDROOM SUITES in WALNUT, ASH, and KAURI PINE.

MASSIVE BRASS BEDSTEADS, with Superior Bedding and Curtains complete.

BED and TABLE LINEN, almost new.

LINOLEUMS and AUSTRIAN FURNITURE.

Clean and Well-kept Appointments of 7 Bedrooms.

Splendid Ride, the "Martin Safety."

Burglar-proof Iron Safe.

EUREKA GAS STOVE, equal to new.

Very Superior Kitchen Dresser, with sliding doors
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils
Patent Mangle, Ice Chest, and Lawn Mower
Garden Seats and numerous sundries.

The Auctioneers draw special attention to the above Modern Furniture, as it is almost new, having been purchased within 18 months.
, It is a grand clean lot, and the instructions are to SELL ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

To Gentry Furnishing, Commission Agents, Connoisseurs, and the Trade.

DALWOOD and CO. have been favoured with instructions from EVAN G. BASSETT, Esq. (who is leaving the colony), to conduct this important sale of ELEGANT MODERN FURNITURE and EFFECTS on FRIDAY NEXT, 5th OCTOBER, AT 11 A.M.

The GOODS will be ON VIEW on THURSDAY, from 9 a.m. TERMS, STRICT CASH.

TO THE RESIDENTS of HURSTVILLE and the SURROUNDING NEIGHBOURHOOD.
To Private Buyers and Others.

HYAM HAINS has received instructions from the proprietress, who is leaving the district, to sell by public auction THIS DAY, Wednesday, the 3rd October, at 11 a.m., on the premises, Erne, Bassett-street, Hurstville, 4 minutes from Penshurst station, the whole of her
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
PIANO, full compass, oblique trichord, magnificent instrument (Ernest Schubert)
Handsome drawing-room suite, 9 pieces
CARPETS, linoleum, mats, rugs
Sewing-machine, sideboard, pictures
Single and double bedsteads and bedding
Toilets, chests drawers, cane furniture
Austrian chairs, tables, C. pole
Cutlery, E.P. ware, glassware
Mangle, dresser, M. safe, copper
Laundry utensils, sundries, &c.
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.
Also, a single-seated BUGGY (American), and Horse.
Alight at Penshurst station, Illawarra line.

OFFICE FURNITURE.

FIRE AND THIEF PROOF SAFES.

MR. W. R. SOLLING will sell by auction at the offices (late Messrs. Brunker and Wolfe and Hon. James N. Brunker), Castlereagh-street, on
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4th, 1894,
at
3 o'clock sharp,
SUPERIOR OFFICE FURNITURE,
comprising
One fire and thief proof safe, by Herring, New York
One fire-proof safe, by Price, Wolverhampton, cedar desks, office tables and chairs, chiffoniers, enclosed pigeonholes
Copying press and stand
and
sundries.

TERMS, CASH.

NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY,
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3.

AT THE OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS
322 GEORGE-STREET.

VALUABLE LIBRARY,
ARCHITECTURAL,
LITERARY AND SCIENTIFIC WORKS

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNS, &c.

A few of which may be mentioned.

PLATES LE NOUVEL DE PARIS, PAR CHARLES GARNIERE
ARCHITECTURE OF THE RENAISSANCE IN ENGLAND
HOW EUROPE BUILDS AND RESIDES
CHURCHES OF THE MIDDLE AND MODERN AGES
GLOSSARY OF, AND GOTHIC ARCHITECTURE
LECTURES ON ARCHITECTURE (Violett LeDue), half calf
ILLUSTRATIONS SYDNEY IN 1848
MANCHESTER SCIENCE LECTURES
THE FINE ARTS
STUART'S ANTIQUITIES OF ATHENS
ORNAMENTAL DESIGN
THE MARBLES OF FLORENCE and VENICE —Oliphant
LECTURES on the HISTORY of ROME—Niebuhr
GREEK ARCHÆOLOGY—Dallgron
ILLUSTRATED ART HANDBOOK
KERAMIC ART of JAPAN—Audsley
BRITISH FISHES, by COUCH, with coloured plates
SCOTT'S WAVERLEY NOVELS, half bound, with illustrations
BRITISH BUTTERFLIES, by Morris
NESTS and EGGS of BRITISH BIRDS, by Morris
FERNS, BRITISH and EXOTIC, by Lowe
BRITISH BIRDS and MOTHS, with coloured plates, by Morris
MILTON'S PARADISE LOST and REGAINED
SHAKESPEARE GALLERY, steel engravings
THACKERAY'S WORKS
GILRAY'S CARICATURES and KEY
&c., &c.,
and the
MASSIVE CARVED CEDAR BREAK-FRONT BOOK-CASES,
bevelled plateglass centre and mirrored side doors, fitted with drawers and cupboards.
HANDSOME PEDESTAL OFFICE TABLE, fitted with drawers, cupboards, &c., en suite.
LIBRARY CHAIRS, covered in morocco.
ELEGANT ENCLOSED CUPBOARD to match.
Made especially to order by BARTHOLOMEW.

IRON SAFE by MILNER.
PAIR VERY LARGE VIENNESE BRONZE FIGURES and PEDESTALS.
"Knights in Armour."
CHOICE CARRARA MARBLE FIGURE,
"Innocence."
on Verde Antique Marble Pedestal.
MAGNIFICENT OXIDISED SILVER and BRONZE.
MILTON and BUNYAN SHIELDS,
in Repoussé Work.
MAGNIFICENT BORDERED BRUSSELS CARPET,
&c., &c., &c.,
by
Order of the Trustees
in the Estate of the late
WILLIAM WRIGHT CAMPBELL.

Also,
A VERY CHOICE and RARE COLLECTION
of
AUSTRALIAN WORKS,
viz.,
SYDNEY IN 1848
FLINDER'S VOYAGE
COLLINS'S NEW SOUTH WALES
HUNTER'S PORT JACKSON
WHITE'S JOURNAL
PHILLIPE'S VOYAGE
PEROUSE'S VOYAGE and ATLAS
COOK'S VOYAGES
TERRY'S REMINISCENCES
MAJOR'S EARLY VOYAGES
MITCHELL'S EXPEDITIONS
MUDIE'S FELONRY
TRANSPORTATION, 1837-38
&c., &c., &c.,
too numerous to particularise in this advertisement.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO., AUCTIONEERS, 322 George-street, have received instructions to sell as above,
THIS DAY,
WEDNESDAY, 3rd OCTOBER,
at
11 a.m.
TERMS, CASH.
ON VIEW
before commencement of Sale.
N.B.—Descriptive Catalogues obtainable at the Rooms.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 3rd OCTOBER,
by
THE OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS,
322 GEORGE-STREET,
at 12 o'clock.

Small Collection of
ORIGINAL CRAYON DRAWINGS,
by
F. SARGENT.
including
GRECIAN LOVERS
MORNING AND EVENING
CHILD'S HEAD: A STUDY
NELLIE STEWART, IN CHARACTER
&c., &c.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have received instructions from the owner to sell the above, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, at 12 o'clock.

TERMS, CASH.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 3rd OCTOBER,
at
THE OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS,
322 GEORGE-STREET,
at 3 p.m.

MAGNIFICENT FULL SIZE BILLIARD TABLE,
by ALCOCK,
and
APPURTENANTS COMPLETE.

VALUABLE NEWTONIAN REFLECTING TELESCOPE,
by RANKS, LONDON, STRAND, W.C.,
Original Cost, 90 Guineas.

HANDSOME AMERICAN WALNUT SIDEBOARD, with Bevelled Plate-glass Back,
and
Side Mirrors, Enclosed Cupboards, Cellarette, &c., &c.

MASSIVE DINING-ROOM SUITE,
Covered in the very Best Morocco Leather, en Suite.

SOLID AMERICAN WALNUT BOOKCASE,
to match the above.

SUPERB OAK HALL STAND,
and Chairs to match.

HANDSOME SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.

ELEGANT BURR WALNUT FULL GRAND PIANOFORTE, by Reid Achenbergh.
Buyers should not lose this opportunity of securing a thoroughly sound and first-class Instrument.

HOODED AMERICAN BUGGY, in first-class order.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have received instructions to sell the above THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3rd, at 3 p.m.

TERMS, CASH.

THURSDAY NEXT, OCTOBER 4th,
at 2.30 p.m.
To
Picture Connoisseurs
and
Lovers of Art.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE
by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
at
THE OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS,
322 GEORGE-STREET,
of
VALUABLE OLD and MODERN OIL PAINTINGS
and WATER-COLOURS,
by
CARSE,
NEVILLE CAYLEY,
FEEBLESS,
RAWORTH,
FIELDING,
&c., &c., &c.

MAGNIFICENT GALLERY OIL PAINTING,
Subject: "The Otter Hunt,"
by
MOTLEY and SHARPE.

CHOICE PROOF ENGRAVINGS,
by DORE,
and Others.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have received instructions to conduct the above Highly Important Sale of
OIL and WATER COLOUR PAINTINGS,
Genuine Proof Engravings,
&c., &c., &c.,
On THURSDAY NEXT, October 4th,
at 2.30 p.m.

TERMS, CASH.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4,
at
THE OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS,
322 GEORGE-STREET.

VALUABLE COLLECTION
of
WATERCOLOUR PAINTINGS,
by
NEVILLE CAYLEY.

Exhibited at the Chicago Exhibition.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have received instructions to sell the above on THURSDAY, 4th October, at 3 p.m.

TERMS, CASH.

TO BOOKSELLERS AND THE READING PUBLIC.

THIS DAY, at 2.

MIDDLETON and CO. are instructed by the Liquidator in a Sydney Bookseller's Estate to sell by auction, at 71 Regent-street, Sydney,
A very large number of English, American, and Colonial periodicals, illustrated and otherwise, in lots to suit purchasers.
At 3.30
will be sold a quantity of carpenters' tools, also household furniture.
Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 2.30 o'clock.
AT 35 GLEBE-ROAD, GLEBE.
J. BROWN and CO. have been instructed to sell
Drawing-room suite (walnut frames), sideboards, couches, bedroom suites, tables, chairs, overmantels, brass and iron bedsteads and bedding
Pictures, bookcases, gas stove, chest drawers, washstands, dressing tables, ware, ornaments, and general household effects, in really good order and condition.

ABSOLUTE CLEARING-OUT AUCTION SALE,
TO-MORROW, OCTOBER 4, at 11.30
(after arrival of 11.10 train from Sydney at Marrickville),
The whole of the STOCK of the
SYDNEY and SUBURBAN TIMBER CO., MARRICKVILLE, adjoining Railway Station, comprising
OREGON and HARDWOOD SCANTLINGS
Kauri Mouldings, CASEMENTS, SASHES
HARDWARE, Ridge Roll, Pickets, Builders' Ironmongery
NAILS, SASH WEIGHTS, Robart Town Palings
SHELVING, POSTS and RAILS, POTTERY
Galvanised Iron, LARGE SAFE, COPY PRESS
HORSE, DRAY, and Harness, and numerous Sundries.
JAMES COWAN has been instructed to sell by auction, the above large and varied stock.
Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

JAMES R. LAWSON'S
AUCTION SALE ROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET.

GREAT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
at
THE ROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET,
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, at 11 a.m.
of
A LARGE and VARIED ASSORTMENT
of
SUPERIOR FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Received under instructions from
A GENTLEMAN NOW RESIDENT IN ENGLAND
from
the Warehouses and Stores of
Messrs. SAUNDERS and CO.
to the
ABOVE ROOMS FOR POSITIVE AUCTION SALE.

Including
DINING ROOM and DRAWING ROOM FURNITURE,
SOLID WALNUT DINING CHAIRS,
with fine cane seats and backs.
TELESCOPE EXTENSION DINING TABLE.
AMERICAN ORGAN.
HANDSOME WALNUT OVERMANTELS.
EUGENIE BEDROOM COUCHES.
SHOWCASES OF AUSTRALIAN BIRDS
VERY VALUABLE COLLECTION OF MAURITIUS SHELLS
(male and female, in pairs. A unique and very rare collection).
MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE
by
THE GREAT MAKER BLUTHNER.
, As exceptionally high-class Instrument, almost new, and highly recommended.
Also,
SEVERAL OTHER VALUABLE PIANOFORTES.
HANDSOME BEDROOM SUITES.
BLACK and BRASS HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, furnished with Woven Wire Mattresses and best Bedding.
And the
COMPLETE FURNITURE
of
WELL-APPOINTED RESIDENCE,
&c., &c.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at his ROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET, as above,
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, at 11 a.m.
ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE.

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TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, at 11 a.m.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
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Under instructions from
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ON ACCOUNT AND RISK OF THOSE CONCERNED.

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Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Will of JAMES DUFFY, late of Paddington, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts in the above estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me, at my said office, on or before TUESDAY, the twenty-third day of October instant, and if they shall think fit, object to the said accounts, and, if they shall think fit, object to the said accounts be not objected to, I shall proceed to pass the same; otherwise, if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this second day of October, A.D. 1894.

R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Deputy Registrar.

ABBOTT and ALLEN, Proctors for the Executrix, 14 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Will of SUSAN HOSKING, late of Hereford-street, Forest Lodge, in the colony of New South Wales, Spinster, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the 26th day of October, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and if they shall think fit, object to the said accounts be not objected thereto, otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four. For the Registrar, (Signed) R. C. MONDAY, Deputy Registrar. WILLIAM HENRY MAHONY, Proctor for the Executors, 142 King-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY. NOTICE is hereby given that the SINGLE MEETING of Creditors in the following matters will be held at the Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 12th day of October, 1894, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit. To entitle a creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 11th day of October, 1894. Re THOS. SELWOOD HUNTLEY and OLIVER TRICKETT, trading as HUNTLEY and TRICKETT (No. 8822), of Balmain and North Sydney respectively, and carried on business at No. 138 Pitt-street, Sydney, Auctioneers. Re JAMES BENJAMIN MITCHELL, of Victoria-road, Petersham, Paddington. Re ALEXANDER THOS. KIRK (No. 8818), of Ada-street, Ultimo, late Hotelkeeper, now out of business. Re WILLIAM PATON (No. 8814), of 16 Kingsland-parade, Newtown, Shoemaker. Re JAMES HENRY WALTERS BROWN (No. 8809), of Summer Hill, now out of business.

ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy.

Mr. H. E. MORRIS, Official Assignee.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY.—No. 8821. Re JANETT THOMPSON, of the White Horse Hotel, Forest-road, Hotelkeeper. NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the office of the Official Assignee, at No. 127 Phillip-street, Sydney, on the 10th day of October, 1894, at 3 p.m. To entitle a Creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 9th day of October, 1894. ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy. Mr. W. H. PALMER, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY.—No. 8792. Re EDMUNDS FUSS, of No. 61 George-street, Sydney, Chemist and Druggist. NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the office of the Official Assignee, at No. 47 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on the 11th day of October, 1894, at 3 p.m. To entitle a creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 8th day of October, 1894. ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy. Mr. W. H. PALMER, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY.—No. 8798. Re SYDNEY VERGE, of Kemmer, Gunnedah. NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the office of the Official Assignee, at No. 127 Phillip-street, Sydney on the 15th day of October, 1894, at 3 p.m. To entitle a creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 13th day of October, 1894. ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy. Mr. W. H. PALMER, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY.—No. 8842.—Re ALBERT GRIFFITHS, of Armidale, Storekeeper. NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST MEETING of Creditors in the above matter will be held at the Office of the Official Assignee, at No. 28 Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on the 11th day of October, 1894, at 3 p.m. To entitle a creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 8th day of October, 1894. ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy. Mr. N. F. GIBLIN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Single MEETING of Creditors in the following matter will be held at the Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 16th day of Oct ber, 1894, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit. To entitle a creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 8th day of October, 1894.—Re ROBERT SMITH (No. 8816), of 28 Ann-street, Balmain, Labourer. ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy. Mr. N. F. GIBLIN, Official Assignee.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In EQUITY.—In the Matter of the COMPANIES ACT, and in the Matter of the BRITISH AND NEW SOUTH WALES INVESTMENT AND FINANCIAL COMPANY, LIMITED. In Liquidation.—The Honorable CHARLES JAMES MANNING, Judge in Equity, has by an order dated the 23rd day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, appointed NORMAN FREDERICK HIRST, of Elizabeth-street, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, to be Official Liquidator of the abovenamed company, in the place and stead of the late EDWARD MILNES STEPHEN, deceased. Dated this twenty-fifth day of September, A.D. 1894.

H. BARTON, Master in Equity.

MICHAEL FITZPATRICK, of Number 9 Lewis-street, Redfern, in the colony of New South Wales, Storeman, do hereby give NOTICE that I desire to obtain and will at the next Licensing Court, to be holden at Sydney on the seventeenth day of October instant, apply for a certificate authorising the transfer of Publican's License for premises situate at the corner of Argyle-street and Moore's-road, and to be known by the sign of the Gladstone Hotel, containing nine rooms, exclusive of those required for the family.

Dated the second day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
PROBATE JURISDICTION.
In the Will of ADA GERTRUDE HOPE BRICKNELL, late of Broken Hill, in the colony of New South Wales, deceased, and late the Wife of FRANK BRICKNELL, of the same place, Baker.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to FRANK BRICKNELL, the sole Executor named in the said Will.

Dated at Sydney this 28th day of September, A.D. 1894.

ARTHUR F. ABBOTT,
Proctor for the Executor,
Broken Hill.

By his Agent—
T. E. CREBWELL,
81 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION.
In the Will of CHARLES BAILEY, late of Parramatta-road, Five Dock, in the colony of New South Wales, Quarryman, deceased.

APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ANN BAILEY, GEORGE BAILEY, and EDWIN BAILEY, the Executors and Executors named in the said Will.

STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN,
Proctors for Applicant,
12 and 14 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION.—In the Will of HUGH READ, late of Gundaroo, in the colony of New South Wales, Grazier, deceased. APPLICATION will be made, after fourteen days from the publication hereof, that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN READ and THOMAS READ, the Executors named in the said Will.

ARUNDEL HILL GARRAWAY,
Proctor for the Executors, Queanbeyan.
By DIBBS and GIBSON, his Agents,
92 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In BANKRUPTCY.—NOTICE is hereby given that the SINGLE MEETING of Creditors in the following matter will be held at the Court, Chancery-square, Sydney, on the 16th day of Oct ber, 1894, at 11 a.m., or as soon after as the course of business will permit. To entitle a creditor to vote thereat his proof must be lodged with the Registrar in Bankruptcy not later than the 8th day of October, 1894.—Re ROBERT SMITH (No. 8816), of 28 Ann-street, Balmain, Labourer. ARTHUR HENRY, Registrar in Bankruptcy. Mr. N. F. GIBLIN, Official Assignee.

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H. BARTON, Master in Equity.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Will of MARTHA BETTS, late of Gladesville, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased. APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EDWARD MARSDEN BETTS, of Gladesville, near Sydney, Gentleman, and ARTHUR CHARLES BETTS, of Cooma, Gentleman, the Executors named in the said Will.

WILLIAM MANDEVILLE BARKER, Proctor for Executors, 1 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—PROBATE JURISDICTION. In the Will of CELIA ELIZABETH MACNAMARA, late of Forbes, in the colony of New South Wales, deceased. APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EDWARD JAMES MACNAMARA, the Executor named in the said Will. JOSEPH STANTON LAMBROCK, Proctor for Executor, Forbes. By his Agent, H. A. LYONS, Sydney.

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PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2.

The SPEAKER took the chair at half-past 3 o'clock.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

The MINISTER FOR JUSTICE, in answer to Mr. Schey, said that 251 persons had been received at Darlinghurst gaol from the ships of H.M. navy on this station during the three years ending 31st August last.

The MINISTER FOR JUSTICE, in answer to Mr. Sleath, said if any witnesses for the defence (not being to character merely) give material evidence before the justices, the law directs that they should be bound by recognizance, equally with the witnesses for the Crown, to give evidence at the trial, and that every witness attending in obedience to any such recognizance should be entitled to his expenses the same as if he were a witness for the Crown.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. Cameron, said he did not think it was possible just now to set apart a day for the discussion of the local option question, especially as there was no motion or bill on the business-paper relating to the matter.

The MINISTER FOR WORKS, in answer to Mr. M'Gowen for Mr. Hughes, who asked whether the Imperial Government intended to import men from England to do repairing work in connection with the vessels of the Imperial Squadron, said he had no information on the subject. It was a matter that would be dealt with entirely by the Imperial Government.

The COLONIAL SECRETARY, in answer to Mr. Sleath, said in the Wangaratta case, tried at Deniliquin, one Watson, a coach-driver, attended the court but was not examined, as the Superintendent of Police, who conducted the prosecution, did not think it necessary. A constable carelessly left his revolver and handcuffs behind him when starting from Wangaratta. The articles were restored to him by a man, to whom he gave a reward of 10s.

MINERS' RIGHTS AND MINERAL LICENSES BILL.

Mr. MOORE moved that the Miners' Rights and Mineral Licenses Bill be read the first time.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill was introduced and read the first time.

PAPERS.

The MINISTER FOR WORKS laid upon the table of the House a return respecting works at Shea's Creek.

The PREMIER laid upon the table a return showing the cost of Parliamentary trains and trams during the last Parliament.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTORATES AND ELECTIONS ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

The SPEAKER read a message from his Excellency the Governor granting the Royal assent to the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act Amendment Bill.

THE LAND BILL.

Mr. CRICK asked whether, in view of the number of members on that side of the House who desired to speak upon the second reading of the Land Bill, the Premier would consent to adjourn the debate at a reasonable hour on the following night.

The PREMIER said that on the last occasion there was a general feeling that it would be quite possible to come to a decision on Wednesday night. He did not, however, wish to close the debate whilst any reasonable number of members desired to speak. It was simply a hope of Ministers that they would be able to complete the debate by Wednesday night.

ARCHITECTS TO THE GOVERNMENT.

Mr. CAMERON moved,—"That there be laid upon the table of this House a return showing the names of the various architects (other than the Government Architect) who have been entrusted with the construction of buildings for the Government since 1891 to the present time, specifying the nature of the architects, the amounts of the contracts, and the commission and other charges paid for in connection with the same."

The motion was agreed to.

ELECTION OF CANDIDATES.

Mr. CRICK moved,—"That leave be given to bring in a bill to amend the Act 56 Vic., No. 38, as to provide that the elected candidate shall poll an absolute majority of the votes recorded."

The motion was agreed to on division by 58 votes to 24.

PAYMENT OF MEMBERS.

Mr. KNOX moved,—"That leave be given to bring in a bill to repeal the Parliamentary Representatives Allowance Act (53 Vic., No. 12)." He said that he did not intend to detain the House for very long. He did not look on this matter as one of principle, but as one of expediency; and he desired to bring the question of expediency or should be dealt with shortly when it was to be dealt with at all. The way he looked at the matter was this: The country had been paying since 1889—for some four or five years—£40,000 a year or so by way of Parliamentary allowances, and he would like to know what the country had got for the money. Had it got value to the extent of £40,000 in addition to the value it was receiving before? To his mind it was conclusively shown that the country had not got any value for the extra payments. He did not believe that this expenditure—this waste of money—had the effect of preventing one man coming into the House who was of any value to the country, who would not have been without it. The Act had rather been the means of keeping good men out of the House, who would have come there had it not been in existence. (Mr. O'SULLIVAN: "Where are they?") He would like to say what he had to say without any intervening remarks. He wished for the repeal of the present Act, but that did not altogether mean that he was opposed to any sort of payment whatever. The present mode of payment, however, was too much a matter of rule of thumb to meet with his approval. The Act provided that every member should get £300 per annum; it did not differentiate in any way—either as to the distance of an electorate from the metropolis or anything else. There was a great difference between town and country members in this respect. The principle of payment might be conceded, if properly conceived, be acted on, in certain instances, with advantage. No doubt there were many arguments in favour of it. What he looked at was the practical side of the question—the cost to the country in paying for it, and what did it get for what it did pay? They heard a lot about retrenchment. They saw the last House going through the estimates knocking 5 per cent. or 10 per cent. off the Civil servants' salaries. They had not the pleasure of listening to a resolution unanimously by which members gave up 5 per cent. of their salaries. (Mr. CRICK: "They were taken by surprise.") But how many gave it up? He asserted that the last two Parliaments had been inferior in the mental calibre of the men, and in the way the business had been done, to any of the Parliaments which went before. He had heard it asserted that payment of members induced honesty in politics. (Mr. O'SULLIVAN: "Hear, hear.") He did not believe this. He had not such a high opinion of money as that. He believed that it would be the honest man honest; neither did he think that the want of £300 per annum would make an honest man dishonest. He did not believe that payment of members had had any effect in making Parliament pure. He did not believe that they were, at other legislatures—the Parliament of Great Britain and the Parliament of America? Was not the Parliament of America an example of impurity. Was not the Parliament of Great Britain a pure one? He had not been a year in that country that Great Britain could be accused of having an impure Parliament. He had never been in America himself, and he spoke from a perusal of American newspapers when he said that the American Parliament was not what could be wished. An American lady had stated that members larger salaries than anywhere else in the world. In Great Britain they paid them nothing. 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Member: "He will have to consult the electors.") He would consult the electors by pandering to them, as his livelihood would depend upon it. Again, the system tended to induce members to abstain from giving a vote which would have the effect of sending a Parliament to the country. Although their experience of it had been short, he believed that that had already been seen. It was desirable that every member should come there with an absolutely free hand—and be independent. Members talked about free and independent electors; members should be free and independent themselves. (Mr. O'SULLIVAN: "What about party government?") Party government was necessary; but party government here was different from party government in England. There was party government at home because the policy of the parties was radically different. Here the policy of the two parties was not different, except on one point. (Mr. CRICK: "The general policy here is to keep in office.") Except on the point of free trade and protection, party policy here was ill-defined. The Act was passed wrongfully. In passing the Act, the House did what it should not do. The members of that Parliament were elected to serve without any stipend; but they came here and dipped their hands into the till of the country. This House, with the other House, could no doubt pay themselves what they pleased; but the House that passed this Act were sent here on the understanding that they should not be paid, and yet they agreed to pay themselves. Therefore the Act was wrongfully brought in. It was brought in when men sat in the House who represented the working classes just as well as, and perhaps a great deal better than men who had not bare sines. (Mr. EDDEN: "And had only a trogenny cake for their tea).") Well, he maintained that the Act had not been of any benefit to the country, and therefore it was necessary and desirable to bring in a bill to repeal it. (Hear, hear.)

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SHIPPING.

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Tambo (s.), 702 tons, Captain J. Wavish, from Robert Bay, September. Passengers—Mesdames Rogers, Woodley, Watson, Sherwin, Wooley, Westley, Shaw, Cranford, M'Manus, Misses Watson, Wooley, Prattien, Garth, Blair, Finlay, Masters Wooley (3), Watson (3), Messrs. Ward, Swift, Westley, Haskett, Smith, Cato, Normoyle, Marsden, Bates, Garfield, Nicholson, and 13 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Colac (s.), 1460 tons, Captain A. Hood, from Geelong 29th September. G. S. Yuill and Co., agents.

Allowrie (s.), 507 tons, Captain G. Walker, from Batemans's Bay via Ulladulla. Passengers—Mesdames Percy Clinton, Pennefather, Misses Moddrell, Anderson, Harrington, Messrs. Coman, Irvin, Pennefather, Clinton, Wyatt, Stubbsbatt, Garland, Guy, and 8 in the steerage. Illawarra S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Namoi (s.), 1414 tons, Captain Skinner, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

Tahune (s.), 2020 tons, Captain E. Phillips, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

G. M. Tucker, barque, 466 tons, Captain F. Holm, from Noumea 26th September, in ballast. R. T. Gibson, agent.

Coraki (s.), 296 tons, Captain Nielsen, from Manning River. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

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PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—OCTOBER 3.

Aramac (s.), for Brisbane and ports; Tambo (s.), for Hobart; Barrabool (s.), for Melbourne, Adelaide, and ports; Illawarra S.N. Company's steamers, for Ulladulla, Merimbula, Eden, Bermagui, Pambula, Pambula; Sydney (s.), for Newcastle; Burrawong (s.), for Macleay River; Coraki (s.), for Manning River.

CLEARANCES.—OCTOBER 2.

Arawatta (s.), 2114 tons, Captain Francis G. Lee, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames E. M. Harding, Adams, J. Smith, Niles, Trimble, Stephenson, Besant, Scott, M'Killan, Stinson, Walker, Chandler, J. Adams and infant, Richardson, Thompson, Manson, Waller, O'Shannassey and infant, Crawford, Bradley and child, Nuth, Fletcher and 2 children, Hopkins, Clarke and child, King, Martyn Hagan, Misses Donnelly, Parker nurse and child, Muir, Stevenson, Schwitsache, Mitchell, Deverish, Bayley, Sippe, M. Sippe, Besant, Wren, Hopkins, Messrs. Humphreys, Fraser, Hall, J. H. Harper, Eastcott, B. Kay, Jas. Macgill, Hon. Thos. Brunton, J. Adams, W. Burnside, A. Thompson, W. G. Cramer, Erden, Ratter-Barlee, Whittle, W. H. Harper, J. Hall, M'Lennan, Phillips, P. R. Waddy, Fletcher, C. Wilkinson, Thurston, Manson, F. J. Wallis, Buckland, L. Buckland, J. D. Pillans, Mr. and Mrs. Graham, W. Kinsela, Mr. and Mrs. Budd, Martyn Hagan, Harcourt Lee, F. M. Phillip (Opera Company), Rice, Williams, J. Nisbet, S. A. Wilson, Oldham, J. Keazy, and 49 in the second cabin.

Port Chalmers (s.), 4134 tons, Captain Thomas Free, for London.

Rhine, barque, 1245 tons, Captain G. W. Kaswurn, for London.

Darius (s.), 3293 tons, Captain J. Curry, for Calcutta, via Bowen.

Burrumbeet (s.), 2420 tons, Captain A. H. Thorpe, for Newcastle.

Beerenberg (s.), 1119 tons, Captain J. Rowland, for Newcastle.

Barrabool (s.), 943 tons, Captain W. Hammer, for Newcastle.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—OCTOBER 2.

Fei, ill, ketch, Captain W. Saunders, for Tweed River; Nora, s., schooner, Captain J. M'Guire, for Newcastle; Maria, brig, Captain F. Fisher, for Newcastle.

IMPORTS.—OCTOBER 2.

Valetta, R.M.S., from London: 530 cases drapery, 22 bags nails, 48 cases boots, 185 bundles steel, 57 cases 10 bales cott., 5 cases wire, 3 bags 9 packages coffee, 146 packages sundries, 6 boxes samples, 1350 cases brandy, 34 cases claret, 50 cases wine, 81 cases spirits, 10 bundles hoop wood iron, 22 cases drugs, 70 packages books, 26 bottles quicksilver, 9 cases jewellery, 1700 bundles wire, 124 bags myrtabs, 6 tons, 792 rails, 134 cases galvanised iron, 230 bundles timber, 13 packages earthenware, 84 bundles fish-plates, 72 cases mineral plasters, 17 packages parcels, 8 bags fittings, 76 packages paint, 9 packages canvas, 46 tubes, 208 packages 240 bundles 22 cases merchandise and sundries.

Allowrie (s.), from Bateman's Bay: 50 bags butter, 205 bags bark, 8 bundles skins, 9 cases eggs, 293 pieces timber, 500 palings, 47 shafts, 288 vegetables, 54 packages, 12 Blocks, 9 hides, 6 bags bones, 2 cases fish, and quantity of furniture and sundries.

Tambo (s.), from Hobart: 6171 cases fruit, 93 cases pulp, 20 bales hops, 50,000 lbs. wool, 5000 palings, 1500 bags ore, 46 pieces timber, 25 bales zinc, 7 bundles skins, and large quantity sundries.

Ex Buteshire, from London: 18 cases 74 reels paper—JOHN FAIRFAX AND SONS.

EXPORTS.—OCTOBER 2.

Benevag (s.), for Newcastle: Original cargo from Victoria, 228 sacks bran, 5 sacks peas, 10 sacks pollard, 50 sacks wheat, 70 sacks oats, 20 cases sarsaparilla, 2 cases wire nails, 1 case paint, 1 keg shot, 7 packages hardware, 2 grindstones, 50 bundles fencing wire, 22 bundles 28 bars iron, 100 reels barbed wire, and sundries.

Kelso, barque, for London: 357 bales wool, 908 sacks charcoal, 322 hogsheads rum, 350 casks molasses, 2218 casks tallow, 50 tons shale, 104 tons alumdr, 5702 ingots copper, 21 bags nuts, 2239 cases meats, 17 packages sundries.

Darius (s.), for Calcutta, via Bowen: 98 bags bran, 90 bags oats, 9 bales hay, 10 bags linseed, 120 horses, and original cargo from Melbourne.

Port Chalmers (s.), for London: 2268 bales wool, 67 bales sheepskins, 127 bales leather, 53 sacks tallow, 2115 ingots tin, 1004 carcases mutton, 113 sacks horns, 20 bags tin ore, 180 bags antimony, and 3 packages sundries.

Arawatta (s.), for Melbourne: 2260 cases meats, 165 sacks bran, 62 packages machinery, 173 bales of wool, 25 bags heads tombacco, 50 packages groceries, 2 horses, and sundries. Also original cargo from Queensland.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—October 2, the Maranoa (s.) left Brisbane for southern ports. The Peregrine (s.) and the Victorian (s.) left Brisbane for Townsville. The Lubra (s.) and the Glanworth (s.) left for Rockhampton. The Yarralla (s.) left for Bundaberg. The Esmeralda (s.) arrived at Maryborough. The Rob Roy (s.) arrived at Bundaberg from Maryborough. The Rob Roy (s.) arrived at Bundaberg from the north. Anthons, schooner, arrived at Rockhampton from Kaipara. The Cintra (s.) arrived at Flat-top Island from the north. The Woodgate (s.), left Bowen, north. The Jelunga, R.M.S., arrived at Townsville from Brisbane. The Jelunga, R.M.S., arrived at Cairns from south. The Merkara, H.M.S. Karrakatta left Cairns for south. The Merkara, R.M.S., arrived at Thursday Island from London at 8 a.m.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: October 2, Macleay (s.), Sydney (s.), Gwydir (s.), Active, ketch, from Sydney. Departures: October 2, Tahune (s.), for Auckland via Sydney. October 2, Tahune (s.), for Wallaroo, with 400 tons coal; Namoi (s.), for Manila, with 1951 tons coal; Fiteshire, barque, for Manila, with 1951 tons coal; Macleay (s.), for Richmond; Gwydir (s.), for Melbourne, with 1000 tons coal; Orestes (s.), Gwydir (s.), Sydney (s.), Annie Bow, schooner, for Sydney.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: October 2, Barrier (s.), from Townsville, via ports; Melbourne (s.), from Fremantle, via Newcastle; Glaucus (s.), from Newcastle; Pateena (s.), from Launceston. Departures: October 2, Tekapo (s.), from Launceston. Departed: October 2, Parramatta (s.) and Bulimba (s.), for West Australia; Pateena (s.), for Launceston; Adelaide (s.), for Adelaide; Pateena (s.), for Launceston; Hasby (s.), for Newcastle.

ADELAIDE.—Arrivals: October 2, New Guinea (s.), from Melbourne; Ville de la Ciotat, R.M.S., from Sydney.

CAPE BOREDA.—Passed: October 2, at 6 p.m., R.M.S. Cuzco, inwards, from London.

(FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

BYRON BAY.—Arrival: October 2, Karuah (s.) at 11 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: October 2, Karuah (s.) at 11.15 a.m., for Tweed Heads.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS.—October 2: Oakland (s.) still in same position. Later: Oakland (s.) shifted slightly closer to channel.

TWEED.—October 2: Karuah in the bay.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Departure: October 2, Fernmount (s.) at 9.30 a.m., for Sydney, via Port Macquarie.

MACLEAY.—Departure: October 2, Burrawong (s.) at 9.30 a.m.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Arrival: October 2, Fernmount (s.), from Nambucca River, crossed in at 5.40 p.m. Departure: October 2, Victoria, schooner, at 11.10 a.m., for Sydney. Passed: October 2, Burrawong (s.) at 12.40 p.m., south; one of the British India Company's steamers at 12.10 p.m., north; Alpha, schooner, at 1.30 p.m., north.

CROWDY HEADS.—Passed: October 2, Nowahea at 8.40 a.m., north.

MANNING HEADS.—Departure: October 2, Coraki (s.) at 9.30 a.m.; for Sydney. Passed: October 2, a schooner, Brisbane, 30·29; Rockhampton, 30·18; Mackay, 30·12; Cooktown, 30·12.

SYNOPSIS AT 9 A.M. ON TUESDAY, BY MR. H. C. RUSSELL, GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

New South Wales.—Generally fine and clear, cloudy dull at places in the north-east.

Singapore.—9 a.m., 1st, west, overcast; 2nd, south, heavy rain, 0·09.

Stob, Batavia.—9 a.m., 1st, calm, fine; 2nd, calm, fine, few clouds.

New Caledonia.—Cloudy at Gomen and Noumea.

Western Australia.—Cloudy on the south coast; in other parts generally fine.

South Australia.—Fine, clear, and equally generally; scattered clouds in south and west.

Victoria and Straits.—Generally fine, clear, and warm.

New Zealand.—Fine and clear throughout.

Queensland.—Threatening to raining generally in east, south-east, and south parts, fine in far west and north-west.

Central and Northern Australia.—Fine, clear, and warm generally.

New Zealand.—Fine and clear in north and central parts, cloudy in the south.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS, UP TO 9 A.M. ON TUESDAY.

New South Wales, light to moderate in the north-east; Bingara, 0·17; Casino, 0·03; Clarence, 0·26; Glen Innes, 0·05; Grafton, 0·39; Kalconbas, 0·08; Lismore, 0·21; Moree, 0·14; Mount Victoria, 0·04; Mungundi, 0·10; Sydney, 0·07; Tabulam, 0·04; Tamworth, 0·03; Tenterfield, 0·08; Urana, 0·14; Walcha, 0·33; Warialda, 0·30.

Western Australia.—Light on the south coast.

Queensland.—Light to heavy, with thunderstorms in eastern half, especially central and south ports. Adavale, 0·19; Barraldine, 0·20; Brisbane, 0·15; Blackall, 0·30; Cape Moreton, 0·14; Charleville, 0·11; Clermont, 0·10; Cunnamulla, 0·19; Eulo, 0·04; Gladstone, 0·34; Goondiwindi, 0·22; Mackay, 0·94; Maryborough, 0·27; Nebo, 0·13; Mitchell, 0·65; Rockhampton, 0·65; Morven, 0·13; Saint George, 0·41; Stanthorpe, 0·07; Surat, 0·37; Springsure, 1·07; Taroo, 0·17; Tarcom, 0·12; Toowoomba, 0·16; Warwick, 0·15.

RIVER REPORTS AT 9 A.M. ON TUESDAY.

Albury, 9ft. 2in.; Balranald, 17ft. 11in.; Bourke, 15ft. 11in., rising; Brewarrina, 19ft. 8in., rising; Eubalong, 21ft. 11in., falling; Euston, 30ft.; Forbes, 10ft. 8in., rising; Goodooga, low; Gundagai, 7ft. 9in.; Hay, 21ft.; Hillston, 20ft. 3in., rising; Louth, 9ft. 3in., rising; Manilla, not received; Menindie, 23ft. 4in.; Mogil Mogil, 8ft., rising; Mungundi, 5ft., falling; Pooncarie, 22ft. 7in.; Tilpa, 14ft. 6in., rising; Tocumwal, 16ft. 3in.; Wanga Wanga, 12ft. 3in.; Wentworth, 23ft. 3in.; Wilcannia, 13ft. 9in., rising; Yetman, low; Barwon River at Walgett, 13ft. 7in., falling; Namoi River at Walgett, 9ft. 8in., falling; Goondiwindi, low.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Dubbo, calm, fine, 71°; Wilcannia, calm, cloudy, 71°; Wentworth, N.N.W., cloudy, 76°; Eden, N.E., fine, 64°; Newcastle, E., fine, 67°; Deniliquin, N.E., cloudy, 72°; Bourke, E.N.E., cloudy, 72°; Goulburn, calm, fine, 61°; Sydney, E.N.E., fine, 65°. It was showery at Brunswick Heads, Bellinger Heads, Ivanhoe, Mungundi, and Tweed Heads.

COASTAL WEATHER REPORTS AT 8 P.M. TUESDAY.

Tweed Heads, E.S.E., cloudy, sea moderate; Byron Bay, S., light, cloudy, sea moderate; Ballina, E., cloudy, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, S.E., cloudy, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, E.S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, calm, cloudy, sea smooth; Macleay Heads, S.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.N.E., cloudy, sea smooth; Manning Heads, S.E., cloudy, sea moderate; Seal Rocks, E.N.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Broughton Island, E.N.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Lake Macquarie Heads, E.N.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Newcastle, E.N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, E.N.E., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Barranjoey, E.N.E., fresh, fine, sea moderate; South Head, E.N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, N.N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, N.E., moderate, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ulladulla, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Batemans's Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Moruya, N.E., fine, sea moderate; Eden, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Green Cape, N.E., fresh, fine, sea slight; Gabo Island, N.E., fresh, fine, sea moderate.

FORECASTS ISSUED AT 4 P.M. TUESDAY.

New South Wales.—N.E. winds, veering to N.; weather fine and warm generally, but rain is probable in Western districts within 24 hours.—H. C. RUSSELL.

Victoria.—At first fine and warm, with N.E. and N. winds, but soon becoming unsettled; cloudy, and in parts thundery.—R. L. J. ELLERY.

South Australia.—Change of weather to cool, fresh, and strong N.W., W., and S.W. winds; thunderstorms in places, and some rain; equally and rough on the coast. Weather will become rapidly improving again.—C. TODD.

SPECIAL FORECASTS FOR AUSTRALASIA AND OCEANIA, BY MR. CLEMENT L. WRAGGE.

Western Australia.—Squally and showery along the southern coast line, finer elsewhere.

Northern Territory.—Fine.

Later: Weather rapidly improving again.—C. TODD.

SPECIAL FORECASTS FOR AUSTRALASIA AND OCEANIA, BY MR. CLEMENT L. WRAGGE.

Western Australia.—Squally and showery along the southern coast line, finer elsewhere.

Northern Territory.—Fine.

South Australia.—Shortly squally and showery under the influence of the disturbance "Koph"; winds N., shifting W.

Queensland.—Fine north-west from Roma; cloudy, showery, and unsettled elsewhere; occasional rough seas, winds S.E. to N.E.

New South Wales.—Cloudy, with rain in the north-east, although fine elsewhere. The disturbance "Koph" will shortly cause rain and squalls in the south-west; winds between E. and N., sea moderate.

Victoria.—Fine, but disturbance "Koph" will shortly produce rain, unsettled weather, and squalls.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR OCTOBER 3.

Sun rises at 5.37, sets at 6.7; Moon, 7.48 a.m., 10.9 p.m.; Mercury, 6.36 a.m., 7.40 p.m.; Venus, 8.4 a.m., 4.50 p.m.; Mars, 7.42 p.m., 6.54 a.m.; Jupiter, 12.38 a.m., 10.30 a.m.; Saturn, 6.39 a.m., 7.17 p.m.

Full Moon, 11th; New Moon, 26th. Moon, 29th.

High water at Fort Denison, 10.34 a.m., 10.58 p.m.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.

ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.

HOBART and LAUNCESTON, 4 p.m.

QUEENSLAND, 4.45 p.m.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA (Monday, via Adelaide), —.

MERIMBULA and EDEN, 11 a.m.

MANNING RIVER, 3 p.m.

MACLEAY RIVER, 8.30 p.m.

THURSDAY.

HOBART, 11 a.m.

AUCKLAND and NORTHERN PORTS of N.Z., 3 p.m.

FRIDAY.

CLYDE RIVER, 9 a.m.

RICHMOND RIVER, 6 p.m.

SATURDAY.

WELLINGTON and all N.Z. PORTS, noon.

CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

MONDAY.

MERIMBULA and EDEN, 11 a.m.

INDIA and CONTINENT of EUROPE, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Arcadia, 2.30 p.m.

UNITED KINGDOM, overland to Adelaide, and thence per P. and O. Company's steamer Arcadia, 3 p.m.

SOUTHERN PORTS of NEW ZEALAND, 3.30 p.m.

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THE ACCIDENT TO H.M.S. RINGAROOMA.
THE VESSEL ON THE MASKEYLINE REEF.
THE RINGAROOMA ON THE REEF AT LOW WATER.
THE RINGAROOMA IN DOCK.
ENTRANCE TO PORT SANDWICH, TO WHICH THE VESSEL WAS TAKEN AFTER BEING FLOATED.

PORTRAIT OF THE LATE F. C. JOHNSON, STATION-MASTER AT SYDNEY.

THE WAR BETWEEN CHINA AND JAPAN.
TYPES OF WAR VESSELS.
THE CHINESE GUNBOAT ALPHA.
THE CHINESE GUNBOAT DELTA.
THE JAPANESE WARSHIP YOSHINO-KAN.
THE JAPANESE WARSHIP NANIWA-KAN.

THE RICHMOND POISONING CASE.
PORTRAIT OF THE POISONER, MRS. NEEDLE.
PORTRAIT OF THE VICTIM, LOUIS JUNCKEN.
PORTRAIT OF OTTO JUNCKEN.

THE ART SOCIETY'S EXHIBITION.

SOME OF THE LEADING PICTURES.

PORTRAIT OF HERR PELLDRAM, GERMAN CONSUL.

MESSRS. WINCHCOMBE, CARSON, AND CO.'S WOOL WAREHOUSE.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1894.

THE Emperor of China has appointed Prince Kung to be co-director of the war with Li Hung Chang.

IT is reported that since the beginning of the war between China and Japan the Governor of Tient-sin has betrayed the Chinese movements to the Japanese, and that he has fled from the city.

IN the Chinese army a frightful state of disorganisation exists. Arms and cartridges which have been paid for by the Government cannot be found.

THE Chinese populace is becoming violent towards the European inhabitants. It is expected that the Indian Government will send 6000 troops to protect the treaty ports.

EXECUTIONS are taking place daily in the Chinese camp at Tient-sin as a means of preserving discipline among the troops. The Chinese troops are reported to be without clothing, food, or arms.

IT is reported that 30,000 Japanese troops have landed in China, between the Yellow River and Tient-sin.

AT Marseilles eight anarchists have been arrested for being concerned in a plot to cause a dynamite explosion at the Italian Consulate.

A PROCLAMATION has been issued in the Winton district, Queensland, warning all persons against unlawfully having firearms or ammunition in their possession.

IN the Legislative Assembly yesterday Mr. KNOX moved for leave to bring in a bill to abolish payment of members on the present scale. After a long debate the motion was negatived by 68 votes to 31.

GERMANY has protested to the United States Government against the operation of the new American tariff in respect of the extra duty on sugar, and threatens to retaliate by increasing the duties on American breadstuffs and wheat.

FOR the quarter ended 30th September the revenue of the colony was £2,288,862, being a decrease of £111,497 as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year.

WITH the exception of the Attorney-General, Mr. Isaacs, all the members of the new Victorian Ministry have been re-elected unopposed.

A MEETING of Mayors and aldermen of suburban municipalities held at the Town Hall yesterday decided to co-operate in the movement to obtain the extension of the railway into the city.

AT a Coroner's inquest held yesterday, William Beattie Turner was committed for trial on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of Mrs. Kirby, a resident of Wallerawang, who died in the Sydney Hospital two weeks ago.

LAST week the duty paid at the Stamp Duties Office on probates and letters of administration amounted to £5460 6s.

A BILL to amend the Mining Act of 1874 was introduced in the Legislative Assembly yesterday by Mr. Moore, and was read the first time.

A MAN named Robert Sergeant was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, at the Central Police Court yesterday, for having defrauded John O'Brien of £6 by means of the confidence trick.

AN Italian anarchist has been arrested in Cairo on suspicion of being implicated in a conspiracy to murder the Khedive, Abbas Pasha.

THE Premier hopes that the debate on the Land Bill will be concluded in the Legislative Assembly this evening; but, if a reasonable number of members still desire to speak on it, he will not press the matter to a conclusion to-night.

THE Public Works Committee yesterday discussed the proposal for the removal of the Pyrmont and Glebe Island bridges, and the substitution of other works in lieu thereof. It was decided that the committee should have the proposals placed before the late committee fully explained, and then visit the locality in question.

AT a meeting held in the Mayor's room at the Town Hall yesterday it was decided, on the motion of the Premier, to hold an open-air fête in aid of distressed members of the theatrical profession.

THE chief feature of the Agricultural Lands Purchase Bill, which was read the second time in the Queensland Legislative Assembly last night, is the provision for the purchase of large estates for the purpose of subdividing them into small areas.

FOR the quarter ended 30th September the Queensland revenue returns show a decrease of £32,140 as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year.

THE Brisbane Municipal Council has empowered the Mayor to place £150,000 worth of debentures at 4 per cent.

FOR the past quarter the New South Wales railway and tramway revenue was £680,252, being £36,084 behind the figures for the corresponding quarter of 1893.

AT an inquest held in Melbourne yesterday, touching the death of Mary Ann Wash, a verdict of wilful murder was returned against her husband, Weymouth George Wash, who was committed for trial accordingly.

AT North Shore yesterday Kerr broke the cycling record for the mile, doing the distance in 2 minutes 18 1-5 second.

IN the Stock and Share market yesterday a sale of Bank of New South Wales shares was made at a reduction of ⅛ on the last quoted price. Bank deposits were firm, an advance being offered for Australian Joint Stock maturing in 1897.

FEW transactions came under notice in the Import market yesterday, but distributors were fairly busy.

AT Darling Harbour yesterday 7266 bales of wool were manifested.

In the Mining market yesterday the only sales reported were of British Broken Hill at 3s 1d, and Central at 6s 11d and 6s 10d.

THE Customs receipts yesterday amounted to £10,044. Towards this the 10 per cent. ad. valorem duty contributed £1167 and the 15 per cent. £144.

There is no subject upon which the Legislative Assembly shows to less advantage than that of payment of members. The discussion of this question always operates to import a large element of unreality and make-believe into the contributions that are made to it. This is not to be wondered at. It is, after all, only natural that members should wish to keep well in the background the fact that it is their own salaries, their own pecuniary interests to the extent of £300 a year, which

be prepared, so that he may consult his colleagues on the subject. It is a question whether the practice followed by the Customs Department of accepting the valuation of goods as at the original port of export does not interfere with the position of Melbourne as a trading centre, seeing that a different course is adopted in the other colonies. If goods arrive at Sydney from London, and are transhipped to Melbourne, their value in London is taken here for the purpose of levying duty. On the other hand, if there is a direct shipment to Melbourne, and some of the goods are transhipped in bond or sent to Sydney under drawback, the Sydney Customs officers levy duty on the Melbourne value. It will thus be seen that a substantial inducement is given to merchants to make Sydney their distributing centre in place of Melbourne, and the Secretary of Customs considers the matter of such importance that he intends to bring it under the notice of the new Minister, Mr. Best. The practice is one which existed before the appointment of Dr. Wellnston, and was originally introduced as a concession to merchants. It was not foreseen that it would prejudice the position of Melbourne as a commercial centre in the way described, and Dr. Wellnston is now strongly of opinion that the same course should be followed as in the other colonies.

We are requested to draw attention to the announcement in our business columns, referring to a reduction in the fares by the Manly Co-operative Steam Company's boats.

Messrs. Walter Bradley and Co. are to conduct to-day a sale of valuable books, bookcases, and library furniture at the Old Bank Auction Rooms. A detailed catalogue has been issued.

It is announced that a public meeting to advocate the city railway extension will be held at the Chamber of Commerce on Thursday afternoon.

We have been asked to direct attention to the notification in our business columns of a special excursion train to be run to Wiseman's Ferry to-morrow. Passengers will leave Sydney at 9 a.m. and Milson's Point at 8.45 a.m., and on arrival at the Hawkesbury will be taken by the steamer General Gordon for a trip on the river.

In another column will be found the conditions of a competition for plans, specifications, and estimates for country works for the Graziers' Meat Export Company.

Mr. Frank B. Fleehill, solicitor, has been appointed by the Chief Justice of Tasmania as a Commissioner for taking affidavits in this colony for the Supreme Court of Tasmania.

The Chief Justice has appointed Mr. Walter Henry Wadey, of Adelaide, S. A., a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New South Wales for taking affidavits in the colony of South Australia.

We are requested to state that the Girls' Friendly Society's festival will be held in St. Andrew's Cathedral to-morrow.

The large dial clock on the Sydney Post Office overhanging George-street will be stopped for some days to allow of the works being overhauled.

The N.S.W. Artillery Regiment Band, under the direction of Brigade Bandmaster M. Devery, will, weather permitting, perform in the Botanic Gardens this (Wednesday) afternoon.

The Sydney Hospital report for the week ended 29th September is as follows:—Admitted, 60; discharged, 60; died, 5; remaining, 261; casualties treated but not admitted, 455.

The following is the report of the Thomas Walker Convalescent Hospital:—Patients in hospital on the 21st August last, 23 males, 32 females, total 55; since received from hospitals, 17 males, 13 females, total 30; and from general public, 2 males, 16 females, total 18; discharged, 20 males, 27 females, total 52; remaining, 17 males, 34 females, total 51 in the hospital on 30th September.

TO-DAY.

Sydney Philharmonic Society's Musical Festival: Town Hall, 8 p.m.
Organ Recital: Town Hall, 3 p.m.
Royal Society Meeting, 5 Elizabeth-street, 7.30 p.m.
M'Neill-Burke United Mission: Choir Practice, Y.M.C.A., 8 p.m.
Lecture by the Rev. P. Moses: Stratton's Hall, Waverley, 8 p.m.
Sydney Flying Squadron: General Meeting, Club Rooms, 8 p.m.
Sydney Lecture by Mrs. Wicken: School of Arts, 3 p.m.
Warwick Farm Races: First Race to start at 2.10 p.m.
Lillie Bridge Pony and Bicycling Racing: To-night.
Art Society: Annual Exhibition, York-street Skating Rink, from 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.
Abell and Kleur's European Circus, opposite Redfern Railway Station, 8 p.m.
The Bushrangers: Austral Gallery, Strand Arcade.
Theatre Royal: Miss Maggie Moore, "Octoroon," 8 p.m.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "Shamrock and Rose," 8 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: Ma Mie Rosette," 8 p.m.
Tower of London, Strand Arcade: Open from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: New Tivoli Minstrels and Specialty Company, 8 p.m.
Crystal Maze, Strand Arcade: Open daily, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

THE GRETA COLLIERY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

GRETA, Tuesday.

The contractors for the Greta colliery will attempt to resume work to-morrow, but only about 30 of the free labourers who arrived on Monday are now here, the remainder having left in batches of two or three. Several slight collisions occurred during the day between the unionists and free labourers, but nothing of a serious nature happened. Thomas Waugh, a delegate from the Greta Lodge, and Mr. Connolly, chairman demand, on behalf of the old miners, payment for coal left by them in the pit. It is alleged that in the workings there are hundreds of tons of coal lying ready to be filled. One of the miners states that in his bord were six skips, and as it was hewn he demanded payment. Mr. Humphreys told the men that he knew nothing of the matter. Mr. Thomas Carter, the manager, said that the old company was defunct, and the colliery had changed, so that the men had no claim. There are about 40 of the original shift men in Greta, and these men have refused to work. They were offered the district rate, but refused to accept it. The contractors intend to get men elsewhere. The contractors offered the miners the district wages at 8s per day of eight hours, but as preference was not given to Greta men, and those accepting work were not allowed to pick their own mates and cavil for places, the lodge refused to agree to the terms, and the delegate board upheld them. The members of the Greta Lodge treat the strangers lightly, and state that they are not miners, and that, moreover, they will be unable to separate from the coal the troublesome black band which exists in the seam; but the management has no fear on this point, and intends to go on working quietly, and putting men on as they turn up. The police will probably stay at Greta until all is quiet.

THE RAILWAY REVENUE.

The quarterly revenue returns published yesterday show that the railway and tramway revenue for the past quarter amounted to £680,252, being £6,084 behind the figures for 1893. The railway receipts for the month of September just past amount to £237,251, being a decrease of £9757 as compared with the previous year; while the tramway receipts amount to £21,771, being a decrease of £1571; making a total decrease for the month of £11,328. Speaking in regard to these figures Mr. Eddy, the Chief Railway Commissioner, said yesterday to a *Herald* reporter that the Treasury returns only showed the cash actually received into the Treasury, whereas the Railway Department dealt with the amount actually earned during any given period. Consequently the railway earnings might sometimes be considerably in excess of the amount shown in the Treasury returns. The railway traffic and earnings last week were very satisfactory, the receipts being £70,196, an increase of £5694 over the same period of last year. The receipts for the month show a decrease of £11,328, but this is mainly due, Mr. Eddy explains, to the wool traffic being in arrear. Last year the wool came forward in the September quarter. This was much earlier than in the previous year. This year the wool traffic to date is nearly 11,000 bales behind what it was last year, a result due chiefly to the shearing difficulty. But the receipts from this source are only delayed, as the wool traffic must come. In this respect it is quite different from the falling-off in the passenger traffic, which is due to the dull times. Though the receipts for September have not been so satisfactory as during the two previous months the railway traffic, Mr. Eddy says, has been steadying up for the last three months, and things are looking a little more hopeful. So far as can be gathered from the returns made out at the moment the holiday traffic on Monday was better than last year. The intercolonial passenger traffic is not keeping up very well. It has suffered a good deal by the pressure of the times.

IN PARLIAMENT.

Soon after the Assembly met yesterday another reform in the Electoral Act, which is now found to be in need of much patching, was suggested by Mr. Crick. The Government has already passed one amending bill, and Mr. Crick proposes that the Act shall be altered so as to provide that every elected candidate shall poll an absolute majority of votes. He did not, at this early stage, explain how he intended to bring about this result, or whether he proposed to introduce the second-ballot system into New South Wales; but there was no doubt the House was with him. Though the motion for leave to introduce the bill was only a formal one, a division was called for by the opponents of the measure, the result being that Mr. Crick carried the day by 58 votes to 24. As it was a private members' night, and motions had precedence, the Chamber turned its attention to a very interesting question, that of payment of members. The first motion stood in the name of Mr. Knox, who asked for leave to bring in a bill to abolish payment of members on the present scale. Mr. Knox, in a matter-of-fact way, dealt with the subject from a severely practical point of view. The country, he remarked, had been paying some £40,000 a year since the passage of the present law, and what had it gained thereby? He questioned whether better representatives had been returned to Parliament, or whether better work had been done. In short, he refused to admit that the rule-of-thumb system of paying members secured a more honest or a more able Parliament. Hence he desired to amend the system so as to check the growth of the professional politician class, which was directly fostered by payment of members. Mr. Knox spoke frankly and plainly; he told members many things which are generally admitted but infrequently spoken. He pointed out, amid *interjections from the Opposition benches*, that the remuneration of Parliamentary representatives had a demoralising tendency; it led members to retain their seats at all costs. Further, he maintained that the present Act had been wrongfully brought in and passed by a Parliament which had been elected on the basis of non-payment of members.

The subject naturally was of deep interest to members. There were calls for a division as soon as Mr. Knox sat down, but as it was evident many members wished to speak Mr. Ewing continued the debate. The member for Lismore lectured Mr. Knox with some severity, reminding him that he was unable to understand the struggles and difficulties which the ordinary human politician had to pass through. Payment of members, Mr. Ewing contended, was absolutely essential to our present conditions, for the electors would rather pay £300 a year to the man they wanted, than avail themselves of the free services of the man they did not want. Mr. O'Sullivan was even more energetic in his opposition to the proposal, holding it was intended as a direct blow to democracy. He urged that it was impossible to secure honest legislation without payment of members, and as an illustration he referred to a number of lines of railway which had been sanctioned by unpaid Parliaments. He gave instances, amid a good deal of interruption, of past jobbery and corruption, and maintained that payment of members had entirely remedied this state of affairs, and had, indeed, by way of retrenchment, saved the country a million pounds yearly. In a less serious vein, Mr. Haynes continued the opposition to the motion, and, referring to the last Parliament, endeavoured to show that it was the moneyed men, those who were independent of the £6 a week temptation, who had kept the Government in office. Mr. Ferguson, in a rather humorous speech, followed on the same lines; but Mr. Crick came to Mr. Knox's aid, and asked that leave should be given to, at least, introduce the bill. The member for West Macquarie showed himself a strong opponent of payment of members, and with vigorous language backed up the arguments used by the proposer of the bill.

The discussion was continued after dinner by Mr. Abbott, who, as one pledged to vote against the payment of members, considered that the settlement of the question should be left to the electors, who might decide the point by ballot. In other words, the voters in any particular constituency should be allowed to settle for themselves whether their representative should be paid or not. The first Minister who spoke on the subject, Mr. Garrard, declared himself unreservedly in favour of payment of members. He contended that the able legislator was worthy of his pay, and in a young country like this it was absolutely necessary that the people's representatives should be in touch with the community which elected them. There should be no bar against any man coming to Parliament; but if payment of members was abolished the barrier would undoubtedly be raised. Mr. Macdonald joined in the cry against the abolition of legislative salaries, looking upon the proposal as a distinct attempt to strike a blow at the fair representation of the people by the people. Then Mr. M'Millan drew the rather wandering attention of the Chamber by a few serious words. He deprecated all this excited debate upon the question, and urged members not to be in such a hurry to settle the point all at once. It would be better, he thought, to follow the ordinary course of procedure, and to deal with the bill when it reached its second-reading stage. Hence he appealed to the House to allow the introduction of the bill without further argument, and to postpone the discussion of the subject for a while. Members, however, seemed little inclined to follow Mr. M'Millan's advice, and half a dozen jumped to their feet as soon as he sat down. Another Minister, Mr. Young, announced his intention of voting against the bill, and recommended that the measure should be withdrawn with the view of introducing an amending bill of a less drastic character. Mr. See, agreeing with Mr. M'Millan, thought that the House should at least allow the bill to be brought in, so that any imputation of hasty treatment might be avoided.

Even this request from an ex-Minister had no effect, for more members than ever seemed anxious to speak. There was a marked divergence of opinion on the subject, and quite a number of speeches, in which the question was regarded from every point of view, were delivered. At last, about 9 o'clock, Mr. Thomson tried to bring matters to an issue by moving as an amendment that, instead of repealing the bill, the salaries of members should be reduced to £200 per annum. The proposal seemed popular, but members had no opportunity of expressing an opinion, for on technical grounds the amendment was speedily ruled out of order. Later on Mr. Reid deprecated this undue flow of eloquence, and proposed that the bill should be dealt with in the ordinary way. He did not look upon the matter as one of principle at all; it was simply a question as to which system was likely to produce the best working of the Parliamentary machine. At the same time Mr. Reid admitted that the introduction of payment of members was due mainly to the unsatisfactory character of past Parliaments. The plan, in short, was on its probation, and the result would depend largely upon the behaviour of the present House, for electors would judge from the conduct of members whether it was better to have a paid or an unpaid Assembly.

Even Mr. Reid's appeal could not bring the debate to an end; there were still many other members who wanted to speak, and the discussion was kept going until 11 o'clock, when the House, by this time grown rather excited, came to a division. It was at once evident that members had not the remotest intention of depriving themselves of their salaries, for the rapidity with which legislators crossed to the side of the noes was phenomenal. The members of the Ministry, with the exception of Mr. Young and Mr. Sydney Smith, voted for the resolution, and though they had the support of Sir George Dibbs, Mr. Slattery, and Mr. See, as well as of some of their more immediate followers, the number in favour of the motion, 31, looked but small when contrasted with the 68 members who voted against it. The announcement of the division was received with a good deal of enthusiasm; and then, as the House was obviously disinclined to undertake any further work, the Premier moved the adjournment, and the sitting came to an end.

NEWS FROM SAMOA.

FURTHER TROUBLE IMPENDING.

[By Cable.]
(From our correspondent.)

AUCKLAND, Tuesday.

News from Samoa states that rumours of coming trouble are prevalent there. Things are as bad as before the intervention of the warships. Tamasese declares that his submission was only intended to secure a truce, and that the Aana tribe is still under arms.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

DISORGANISATION IN THE CHINESE ARMY.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The Emperor of China has appointed Prince Kung, uncle of the Emperor, as co-director of the war with Li Hung Chang.

The Japanese have occupied Heichow, on the road to Moukden, the capital of Manchuria, without meeting with any opposition.

It is reported that the Governor of Tientsin has since the beginning of the war betrayed the Chinese movements to the Japanese, and that he has fled from the city.

The Japanese have declared lead to be contraband of war.

Oct. 2.

Executions are taking place daily in the Chinese camp at Tientsin as a means of preserving discipline among the troops. The Chinese troops are reported to be without clothing, food, or arms.

The report that the Chinese troops at Wiju, in Manchuria—where extensive earthworks were being erected to impede the advance of the Japanese upon Moukden—had evacuated the town, has been confirmed.

The Chinese are encamped on the northern bank of the Yalu River.

A frightful state of disorganisation has been found to exist in the Chinese army. Arms and cartridges which have been paid for by the Government cannot be found.

Disorder is everywhere rampant amongst the troops.

REPORTED LANDING OF JAPANESE TROOPS IN CHINA.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

It is reported that 30,000 Japanese troops have landed in China, between the Yellow River and Tientsin.

THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

The Chinese are sending troops to Formosa to hold the island against the Japanese.

PROTECTION OF EUROPEANS.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

The Chinese populace is becoming violent towards the European inhabitants. It is expected that the Indian Government will send 6000 troops to protect the treaty ports.

THE JAPANESE ADVANCE UPON WIJU.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

A telegram from Yokohama dated the 2nd October announces that the Japanese are advancing upon Wiju, Manchuria.

DIRECT STEAMER NEWS FROM JAPAN.

ARRIVAL OF THE GULF OF TARANTO.

Immediately it became known yesterday morning that the steamer Gulf of Taranto was but 23 days from Japan it was concluded that she would have a budget of news about the war. Upon inquiry on board the vessel it was learnt that when the Taranto sailed for Sydney the harbour was thick with torpedoes and submarine mines. A fortnight before the Taranto sailed several steamers were purchased by the Japanese Government. These included the China Mutual S.N. Company's 2500-ton steamer Moyune, built in 1885, a handsome passenger ship. An offer was made for the Gulf of Taranto, but was declined. Two of Holt's line were reported as being taken up. All shipping was prohibited from leaving the harbour of Yokohama after sunset and before daylight, and the ugly-looking squadron cruising off the port with their masts, funnels, and top-hamper down, and the mouths of their guns wide open all round their sides, were amply sufficient to dispense with pilot regulations to all shipping approaching the port.

So quietly is the work of the War Department being carried on that 12,000 Japanese troops arrived quite unexpectedly in Yokohama from Tokyo, having accomplished the journey by night watches, and they embarked as suddenly and mysteriously in the nocturnal hours as they had arrived. Whither they were bound, nobody seemed to know.

A STRANGE ACCOUNT OF A NAVAL CAPTAIN.

Of the great naval engagement in which the Chinese twin-screw armour-clad turret-ship Tsi-yuen was engaged, little seemed to be known in Yokohama. It was stated that the Japs knew the truth, but they would not tell, and that the Chinese could not tell the truth about such a fight if they tried ever so hard. *The Japan Gazette*, of the 7th ultimo, puts it this way:—"The Government proper has probably never heard the truth about any single thing. But it is curious how accounts differ even of eye-witnesses, of men on board the Tsi-yuén, as to the conduct of the Captain Fong. One says he fought his ship bravely, being taken at a disadvantage and wholly unprepared for fighting, and only ran away from overwhelming odds, after inflicting some damage on his assailant; another account is that he was hiding in his berth during the action. These opposite stories are from officers who were on board. There must have been some fight and some seamanship too to have enabled the ship to get off, for first her steam steering gear was smashed and then the hand steering, both being unduly exposed through faulty construction, and the ship had to be taken out of action by means of tackles attached to the tiller. The repairs to the Tsi-yuen are about completed, and the Japanese will perhaps have the chance of another shot at her. But then again it may be under another commander, for there are sinister rumours as to the fate of Captain Fong. He is not held blameless for passing both the Kowshing and Taokiang, after his engagement, without warning them of their fate. They could both have been turned back long before they came in sight of the Japanese fleet, and the Kowshing with her turn of speed could have placed herself behind fortifications before the sun had set. So it is rumoured that poor Fong has to pay for his safety with his head. And very properly too, only it is too good to be true. A few examples of the sort, however, would, it is said, vastly improve the fighting quality of the Chinese fleet."

THE GENERAL ELECTIONS IN JAPAN.

The general elections in Japan took place while the Gulf liner was in port. The results were variously stated before she sailed. "But one thing," says the *Japan Gazette*, "is certain; while the war lasts there is no doubt the Cabinet will be unanimously supported in its operations against China. The success of the Anglo-Japanese treaty will also make it popular; but we may anticipate a stormy scene over the tariff bill. Otherwise, however, there is nothing likely to arouse the popularists to opposition. The land reassessment party declare they will trot out their hobby; but they will in all probability be borne down. We cannot predict at present what treatment the Government may receive at the House. It will all depend on the course of the war. The greatest difficulty will be the close of the war. Even if Japan is victorious, the House is sure to fall out with the Government on the terms it will dictate to China, the House accusing it of excessive timidity. We will refrain from speculating on the awful consequences if the tables should be turned the other way."

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

THE ANARCHISTS.

DYNAMITE PLOT AT MARSEILLES.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

Eight anarchists have been arrested at Marseilles for being concerned in a plot to dynamite the Italian Consulate.

PLOT AGAINST THE KHEDIVE.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

An Italian anarchist has been arrested in Cairo on suspicion of being implicated in a conspiracy to murder the Khedive, Abbas Pasha.

GERMANY AND AMERICA.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

Germany has protested to the United States Government against the operation of the new American tariff in respect of the extra duty on sugar. It threatens to retaliate by increasing the duties on American breadstuffs and meat.

WATERSPOUT IN VENEZUELA.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

A waterspout has burst over the city of Venezuela, in the Republic of that name, South America. One hundred and fifty inhabitants lost their lives.

THE MALA VITA IN ITALY.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

Sixty-three members of the Mala Vita, or Italian secret society, have been tried at Rome. They were found guilty and sentenced to terms of imprisonment ranging from 10 years to five years.

NEW MINING COMPANIES.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

The capital of the Consolidated Gold Mines Company has been over-subscribed. The shares will be allotted on Thursday.

Oct. 2.

The Golden Link Gold-mining Company, Western Australia, with a capital of £90,000, of which shares to the extent of £40,000 are to be issued to the public, has been registered.

QUEENSLAND.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

THE REVENUE RETURNS.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The Treasury returns for the quarter ended September show that the total revenue was £1,010,572, being a decrease of £32,140 as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year. The principal decreases were—Miscellaneous receipts, £42,607; railways, £8362; land revenue, nearly £8000. The Customs increased by £15,488 and pastoral occupation by £8319. The expenditure for the quarter amounted to £488,716, being a decrease of £56,434, leaving a surplus of £521,856.

The falling-off in the quarter's revenue is due to the large decrease in miscellaneous receipts, which is accounted for by the fact that the banks were last year paying-up interest due on public deposits in view of reopening after reconstruction.

RETURN OF MR. A. J. THYNNE.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

Mr. A. J. Thynne, the Queensland delegate to the Ottawa Conference, returned last night, and was heartily welcomed by the volunteer forces. He is in splendid health. In an interview to-day, referring to the two principal questions at the conference—reciprocal trade relations and cable communication—he said that the colonial delegates were very unanimous in supporting them, but on the question of the mail contract they were not so strong.

BRISBANE MUNICIPAL LOAN.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The Brisbane Municipal Council to-day empowered the Mayor to place £150,000 worth of debentures at 4 per cent.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

A contract has been let by the Queensland Meat Export Company for additions to their works at Eagle Farm. The additions, which will about double the output, will be ready in May next, and consist of new freezing-rooms, stores, engine-house, and boiler-house. The boiler-house will contain three large Lancashire boilers, which are being made by a local firm.

The Queensland Savings Bank returns for September show an increase of 514 in the number of accounts opened, and an increase of £15,024 in the amount to the credit of depositors. The total sum to the credit of 51,051 depositors is £1,980,437.

A Townsville telegram states that it has been found necessary to transfer only a little over 100 tons of frozen meat from the Duke of Sutherland to the Alexandra, in consequence of the mishap to the refrigerating machine on board the vessel. The meat will probably remain on board the Alexandra until the Duke of Sutherland is ready to receive it again, which will be on the 13th instant.

THE WYALONG GOLDFIELD.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

WYALONG, Tuesday.

Another rich crushing is reported from Wyalong stone. A parcel of 10 tons from Pringle's Red Flag, late Neeld's No. 2 prospecting claim, sent for treatment to Parke and Lacey's Works, Sydney, realised 4½oz. per ton. Ten tons of second-class stone from Neeld's put through Shannon's battery, as a trial parcel, is said to have realised about 1½oz. per ton. A large parcel from the Christmas Gift, going through Gough's, cleans up to-morrow. It is expected from the appearance of the plates that it will yield a very high return. The Wyalong Quartz-Crushing and Gold-mining Company's battery at Rankin's selection has not yet started. In two cases tried by Warden Baker at the last warden's court, being applications by Longald Lucas and Long and Bonham respectively for alleged abandoned shares in Neeld's prospecting claim, which were decided against the appellants, rules nisi to show cause have been granted against the warden and the respondent in each case. This will reopen the case concerning which much strong feeling has been expressed on the field. It is considered that it will prove of vital importance as a test case on the whole question as to the legality of jumping.

The following is a return of the stone crushed on the field at Gough's battery to the 24th September:—931 tons, from 30 claims, yielding 1531oz. gold, or an average of 1oz. 12dwt. per ton. A new line of reef, termed the Democrat Line, is being opened up west of and parallel to the White Reef Line. Both Lawry and Embly's parties have good reef bodies on this lode. A quantity of stone in both paddocks shows gold freely. Cudmore's, Campbell's, and Just in Time parties also have an excellent and improving show on this line.

FROSSARD'S CAVOUR CIGARS, mild, fragrant, epi. veine; postvin, 5 for 1s.—(Advt.)

VICTORIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondents.)

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

All the Ministers have been returned unopposed, with the exception of the Attorney-General, Mr. Isaacs, who will have to contest his seat with Mr. Joseph Ferguson. The nominations closed this evening.

The Government intend to ask Parliament to authorise the appointment of a committee on public accounts and to pass a bill prohibiting the Treasurer from using trust funds for revenue purposes.

It is intended to open the session at the end of the month and to close it at Christmas, devoting the whole time to the financial proposals of the Government, which will embrace direct taxation, revision of the estimates of revenue and expenditure, and bills to reduce the salaries of the Governor, Ministers, and members of Parliament.

Next week the Government will resuscitate the Tariff Commission, and ask it to inquire into the import duties, with a view to revision.

It is the intention of Ministers to hold a special session of Parliament about next Easter to deal with the recommendations of this body.

THE WEST MELBOURNE TRAGEDY.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

An inquest was held to-day upon the body of Mary Ann Wash, who was murdered at West Melbourne last Saturday afternoon. Her husband, Weymouth George Wash, was present in custody. The coroner, in summing up, said that Mrs. Wash was undoubtedly a nagging woman. The jury returned a verdict of wilful murder against the accused, who was committed for trial at the Supreme Court on the 15th instant.

CONFERENCE OF MUNICIPAL DELEGATES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A conference of municipal delegates was held in the Town Hall this afternoon to consider the schedule rate which it is proposed should be the minimum wage paid by the councils for various classes of work. The schedule was adopted, fixing the minimum wages for eight hours a day as follows:—Pick and shovel (earth), 6s 6d; ditto (rock), 6s 8d; quarrymen, 6s 8d; pitcher-setters, 7s 1d; carpenters (journeymen), 8s; bricklayers, 8s; masons, 8s. Horsehire: one horse, dray, one man, 8s 6d; drivers, 4s 6d; two horses, one dray, one man, 12s; leaders, 3s 10d; single horse in harness and man, 8s; asphalting, 6s 6d; street-cleaners, 5s 6d. The schedule also fixed the rates for stone-breaking.

THE STRIKE IN THE BOOT TRADE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A conference of representatives of the boot manufacturers and the Bootmakers' Union was held to-night to consider the practicability of adopting a minimum and a maximum weekly rate of wages for operatives in the trade. The representatives of the manufacturers suggested that the minimum wage be £1 15s, and the maximum £2 10s. The union delegates promised to submit a proposal to the union.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

A deputation of sawmill-owners from different parts of the colony to-day asked the Minister for Railways for the loan of old iron rails for the purpose of constructing sidings to their mills. The Minister, in reply, said it was intended to use up the old rails in the opening up of the country by means of cheap lines. The Government intended to spend half a million annually on railway construction. If the old rails were unfit for use on these cheap lines, he would be pleased to let the sawmill-owners use them.

Mr. John S. White, M.L.A., to-day figured as the defendant in a libel action instituted by William Henry, of Henry and Co., proprietors and publishers of the late South Melbourne *Citizens* newspaper. The plaintiff claims £1000 damages in respect of a statement contained in a political handbill issued by the defendant last April. The case stands part heard.

At a meeting of the University Senate to-day a motion was submitted that all future appointments to the professorial staff should be for five years instead of for life, as at present. The proposal was rejected by a very large majority.

The traffic returns of the Melbourne Omnibus Company for September show that the receipts were £26,690, which is £172 less than for September last year.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

The Orient R.M.S. Cuzco passed Cape Borda at 6 p.m. to-day, and is due at the Semaphore early to-morrow morning.

Mr. Henniker Heaton, M.P., spent considerable time to-day with the Minister for Education discussing matters relating to the postal services between England and the colonies. He left for Melbourne by express this afternoon.

The Customs receipts for the past week show a considerable improvement.

The R.M.S. Orotava takes to London 12 tons 11cwt. of butter to-morrow. Bonus was granted on 436 boxes only, 10 boxes being rejected.

In the Supreme Court to-day the Chief Justice said that the Attorney-General had complained to him of his observations regarding the reduction in the vote for the Supreme Court library. He had the authority of the Attorney-General that there was no relation between that decrease and the increase in the vote for the library of the law officers of the Crown. He was sorry if any injustice had been done to the Attorney-General, and therefore took the first opportunity of removing the wrongful impression possibly made.

TASMANIA.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

LAUNCESTON, Tuesday.

The Minister for Lands has again refused to see a deputation of unemployed introduced by the Rev. Archibald Turnbull. He says he will not treat with the men through paid agents or political agitators.

At an executive meeting to-day Dr. Smart was appointed Health Officer.

NEW ZEALAND.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

WELLINGTON, Tuesday.

Through an error in the official report, the total in the Parliamentary shooting match was stated at 572 instead of 516.

SIR HENRY PARKES AT PARKES.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

PARKES, Tuesday.

Sir Henry Parkes and Lady Parkes arrived by train yesterday, and were welcomed by a large number of persons at the station and driven to the Royal Hotel, where they will stay during their visit. In the course of the day they inspected the Bushman's large cake of gold, and also the Bushman's Hill mine. Sir Henry Parkes is announced to deliver his first lecture to-night, in aid of the People's Institute, the subject being "Representative Government." On Wednesday a public ball will be tendered to the visitors in the Masonic Hall. On Thursday evening Sir Henry Parkes will deliver a second lecture on "The Duties and Obligations of a Member of Parliament." On Friday a picnic to the whole of the school children of the district will be given on the P. A. and H. Association grounds, and on Saturday evening Sir Henry will give his third lecture, entitled "Australian union as the crowning of Australian freedom." On Monday Sir Henry will open the Parkes College, a new private educational establishment, the buildings having just been completed for Mr. G. W. Ratten, the head master. The weather is fine and warm.

SHIPPING CASUALTIES.

A STEAMER SENT IN SEARCH OF MISSING VESSELS.

EFFORTS TO FLOAT THE STEAMER OAKLAND.

SHIFTING OF A SHIP'S CARGO.

THE CAPE VERDE.

As a matter of common humanity it was decided yesterday to send a steamer from Sydney to search for the two missing vessels, the Trio and the Rob Roy. The lives of nine men are involved, and it is possible, even assuming that the vessels have gone down, that some of these men escaped in a boat or boats. The Marine Board asked the Government to allow the steamer Thetis to make a thorough search of the coast, and the request was acceded to, the vessel taking her departure last night. Mr. Williams, who is father-in-law of the master of the Trio, has gone in the Thetis as a passenger. Captain Hutton is the master of the Thetis, and he purposes going as far as Smoky Cape. If, as has been suggested, the Trio capsized, having no ballast, she may be found floating bottom up. Hopes, though faint, are clung to by the relatives and friends of those who left here on board the vessel that some may be found alive. Both vessels were in charge of most experienced coasting masters, and the vessels themselves were in first-class order, stanch and good in every respect, and it is thought, allowing for the severity of the last southerly gales, that some trace of them should be met with.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondents.)

POSITION OF THE STEAMER OAKLAND.

BALLINA, Tuesday.

The position of the steamer Oakland, ashore on the south spit, has somewhat improved during this morning's tide, but she parted one of her hawsers. The tugboat Protector went down to-day and shifted her anchors into a better position, also got another line out. The captain of the Oakland expects to further improve the ship's position on to-night's and to-morrow morning's tides. The vessel is now in no danger.

NARROW ESCAPE OF THE SHIP RIVERSDALE.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

Another very narrow escape from the loss of a ship and crew, through the shifting of cargo or ballast, occurred in the case of the Riversdale, Captain Griffiths, which arrived from Rio Janeiro on Sunday, and was admitted to pratique yesterday. She left Rio on 6th July with bad weather, which continued till 27th August, when she was struck by a violent squall, and rolled so heavily that the ballast shifted, throwing the vessel on her beam ends. She remained in this position for nearly a week, the starboard yard-arms being in the water. At the first shock the crew were quickly sent below to re-trim the ballast. At 9 p.m. the mainsail was blown loose from the gaskets, the port side of the sail being greatly damaged. The starboard rail was then under water, and the lee side of the main deck completely flooded. Gradually the ship righted, but on the 31st August one of the crew, Evan Davies, A.B., fell down the lower hold and sustained concussion of the brain. The retrimming of the ballast lasted till 5th September, when the ship was deemed safe to proceed on her voyage. The seaman was attended to very carefully by Captain Griffiths during the rest of the passage.

BLOWING UP A WRECK.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

During Monday night the work of demolishing the sunken ship Cape Verde was proceeded with to some purpose. The main and mizzen masts were successfully blown out of the vessel with dynamite. The projecting foremast is now the only mark above water. As soon as this is removed the vessel's hull will receive attention.

SALE OF THE DEVON WRECK.

LAUNCESTON, Tuesday.

The hull of the wrecked steamer Devon has been sold by auction for £23. The cargo of silver ore realised £96.

AUSTRALASIAN PARLIAMENTS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondents.)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

In the Council to-day progress was made with the Vermin and Conciliation Bills. In the Assembly the Taxation Bill was introduced and read the first time. On the Probate Act Amendment Bill coming up Sir J. Downer contended that it should have originated in committee. The bill proposed to confer on the Judges power to make fees to an unlimited extent, and to ratify wrongfully-collected probate duty of ½ per cent. The Premier replied that the bill was not a money bill, because the fees charged were for services rendered. The Speaker ruled that the bill was perfectly in order. Sir J. Downer challenged this ruling, and, after a protracted discussion, the ruling was supported by 31 to 11. The Premier moved the second reading. The House is still sitting.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

In the Assembly to-day Mr. Barlow moved the second reading of the Agricultural Lands Purchase Bill, the two leading principles of which are the purchase of large estates for the purpose of subdividing them into small areas, and the exchange of other land for Darling Downs and estates for a like purpose. A lengthy discussion ensued. Some Opposition and Ministerial members who spoke, as well as all the labour members who rose, objected to the measure, chiefly because the bill placed the power of the ratification of contracts in the hands of the Minister instead of in the Parliament. The motion for the second reading was carried by 32 to 15. The House adjourned at 11 p.m. Many members announced their intention of altering several provisions of the bill in committee.

NEW ZEALAND.

WELLINGTON, Tuesday.

The Government Advances to Settlers Bill has passed the House of Representatives by 36 to 11. The Undesirable Immigrants Exclusion Bill contains drastic provisions for prohibiting the introduction of paupers, persons suffering from mental or physical diseases, persons likely to become a charge on the public funds, and for limiting Chinese and other Asiatic immigrants. The bill is not likely to pass this session.

The Consols Bill is meeting with powerful opposition in the Legislative Council.

THE NEW LAND BILL.

MEETING AT BROKEN HILL.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our correspondent.)

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

At a meeting of Crown lessees held last evening to consider the new Land Bill the following resolutions were adopted:—"1. That the area of homestead leases in the Western district be increased from the proposed maximum of 10,240 acres to 20,480 acres. 2. That the Minister be asked to insert an enabling clause in the new bill to give those lessees who did not come under the provisions of the Act of 1889 the same privileges as it is proposed to give to those who have been brought under the operation of that Act. 3. That the present homestead leases in the Western district be leased for a term of 21 years at the present rental, the revaluation to take place at the end of the 21 years with the right of renewal for a similar period. 4. That in cases where people have taken up conditional purchases or other leases, and where they also hold homestead leases adjoining such conditional leases, the Minister be asked to allow residence on the conditional lease to also constitute residence on the homestead area. 5. That those persons holding residential leases be allowed to bring their holdings under the proposed perpetual lease system, so as to enable them to take up larger areas. 6. That the impounding clause of the Act of 1889, giving lessees power to impound trespassing stock, other than those the property of the original pastoral lessee, from the moment the first instalment money is paid, be inserted in the present bill." It was resolved to embody the resolutions in a petition to the Minister, to be presented by the member for Sturt.

PASTORALISTS AND SHEARERS.

REPORTS TO THE PASTORALISTS' UNION.

The Pastoralists' Union continue daily to receive letters and telegrams advising stations finishing shearing under the 1894 agreement, and the successful transference of the men to other sheds. At present there are about 250 shearers from about 10 of these stations which have just cut out in the Bourke district alone, who are on the march to the other stations to take up the work there. On Thursday night the Pastoralists' Union despatched 40 free shearers from Sydney for the Cobar district, and they safely reached their destinations, starting work yesterday morning. Men continue to be sent by the Melbourne office into Riverina. The Adelaide office is also sending free shearers into New South Wales, and a telegram was received from there on Saturday stating that they had despatched upwards of 90 men, who were now on their way to New South Wales sheds.

The following sheds

MOUNT DRYSDALE GOLDFIELD.

THE OUTSIDE CLAIMS.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

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Next to the Mount Drysdale gold mine, the most important property on the field is the Eldorado. This mine has struck a lode which it is believed will go 4oz. or 5oz. to the ton, and the first crushing of about 80 tons of this will take place at Cobar this week. This make of stone was met with at a depth of 105ft. The lode shows 6ft. wide. This development has caused some excitement, for the Eldorado is also a company, though a small one, there being only 36 shares, while the property consists of eight men's ground with a prospecting claim. Should the mine have the rich stuff that the Drysdale has, it will prove the continuance of the gold along the mountain and would make the 36 shares very valuable. The manager of the Eldorado, Mr. William Horseley, describes the new find as a kind of hard, bony quartz. There is a stope in 20ft. in the new find at the bottom, and gold is showing freely in both ends.

Outside the Eldorado claim and the Drysdale mine little gold has been got on the field, but the work done in the other claims is not sufficient to indicate how far the lode extends. As far as outward appearances go, the country seems to be exactly similar for some distance both north and south of the Drysdale mine, the lode in which runs a little east of north and south. To the south of the Eldorado mine the South Drysdale Tunnel Company is tunnelling into the mountain on the west side. The tunnel is in 260ft., but the lode has not been struck, and at present the country is very hard. A company called the South Eldorado has a claim in the position indicated by its name, and much attention is being paid locally to the shares in the Eldorado and South Eldorado companies. To the north of the Drysdale mine the principal claims are the Hard to Find, Morning Star, Drysdale Proprietary, Discoverer, Just in Time, and Silver King, but none of them are on gold. Owing to the recent developments at the two chief mines there has been much activity, speculative and otherwise, and the whole mountain for two miles has been pegged out north and south of the Drysdale. A good deal of speculation is going on in outside shows, but so far nothing of value has been found upon them. The whole of the field is held under mining tenement, there being no leases.

With the erection of a battery on the field much expense would be saved, and some of the stuff which otherwise could not be profitably treated could be dealt with. The Eldorado mine, for instance, is believed to contain an average of 15dwt. for a width of 12ft. from the surface to the bottom. This could be treated on the field, but carting it to Cobar is out of the question.

The population at Mount Drysdale is about 350, of which number nearly the whole are miners, and the settlement shows all the characteristics of a mining township in its infancy. In the early part of this year a township was laid out on the eastern slope of the hill by District-surveyor M'Farlane, and many of these township blocks have been taken up as business sites. The buildings which have been erected have been chiefly designed with regard to economy, some 30 of them consisting merely of rough timber and bark, though a few rather better structures have been erected, in addition to which the side of the hill is dotted with half a hundred tents and calico houses. Two licenses have been granted, and a large wooden public-house is being built. The field is amply supplied with provisions, there being butchers' and bakers' shops, and one or two general stores, as well as, of course, the inevitable smiths' shops.

Standing in the midst of a waterless tract of country, water conservation is of the first importance to Mount Drysdale. Some provision has been made for this, the representations made by Mr. Thomas Waddell, the member for the district, having resulted in the putting down of a Government tank in the vicinity of the township, the dam being supplied from small catchments. The post-office which has been established is at one of the best stores in the township, a galvanised iron structure, and a small Public School is being built.

In Cobar scarcely anything is talked of but Billagoe, or Mount Drysdale, as it is now called, and opinion in regard to the mine whose recent richness is attracting so much attention all over the colony is divided. Those who hold shares in it are confident that its richness will continue, while those who do not, and who perhaps look at the property with less optimistic eyes, point out that it is at present a difficult thing to fix the value of the mine, *as* the lode has not yet been proved to extend to any considerable length. The No. 2 shaft is, however, down 100ft., and is still being sunk with the view of striking the rich lode which is being worked at the 120ft. level in No. 1 shaft, and a telegram received from Cobar yesterday stated that rich gold had been struck in No. 2 shaft. The find at the 105ft. level in the Eldorado mine, on the other side of the Drysdale gap, is believed to prove the continuance of the rich gold-bearing stone in a southerly direction, and much depends upon its being struck north of the Drysdale mine. Various values are placed on the shares, some of the holders putting a price of no less than £1000 each upon their shares, which would place a value of £128,000 on the mine. The lowest price put by holders on their shares that I heard of was £750, but no sales have transpired. Holders of shares do not seem inclined to sell, and, as the scrip has recently advanced from about £80 to its present price, it can readily be understood that Cobar, which is surrounded by gold-bearing country, is the centre of a small mining boom. Fortnightly dividends of £20 per share, which rate it is expected will be maintained, give the holder of one share a return of £10 per week, and most of the shareholders who reside in the Cobar district consider that this is striking it rich. The periodical holding of a warden's court at Mount Drysdale and the extension of telegraph communication to that place are being advocated.

The Cobar district depends for its prosperity upon two great branches of industry—the pastoral and mineral. The town of Cobar is the centre through which the business of large pastoral holdings passes, and the country around it is rich in mineral wealth, both of copper and gold. To the mining industry Cobar owes, if not its existence, the prominence which in better times it gained, and which it may hopesome day to eclipse. The Great Cobar copper mine, when copper was at a payable price, employed enough men to make a township of its own. The fall in the price of copper spelt disaster to Cobar, and caused the shutting down of the Great Cobar mine from the year 1889 until recently; during the present year, however, operations have been resumed at the mine on a comparatively small scale. The property is being worked on tribute and is giving employment to about 150 men, so that in this direction there is an earnest of better times for the town and district.

Situated in the far west of the colony, some 460 miles from Sydney, the Cobar district is a large waterless tract liable to suffer from droughts, which have a paralysing effect upon both the pastoral and mining industries. Three years ago one of these water famines desolated the district. Not a green thing was to be seen for miles. Sheep and cattle died off, mining was at a standstill, and Mr. Copeland, the then Minister for Lands, accompanied by Lord Jersey, was taken through the district to see the nakedness of the land. At that time the outlook was black indeed. In addition to the terrible effects of the drought and the shutting down of the mines the rabbits swept over the district in innumerable hosts. Pastoralists and townsmen were most discouraged by the flood of ill-fortune that had come upon them, and the prospects held out to the visitors were little short of appalling. But the drought came to an end. The rain fell, green things grew, mining revived, the railway was built, the price of wool improved, more goldmines were found, and to-day the Cobar district is a picture of green trees, plentiful pasture, and mining activity. It is a rich district with a rich soil, but its one want is water. Capable of growing almost anything, the uncertainty of the rainfall prohibits agriculture being followed to any extent, and, therefore, woolgrowing and mining claim the district as their own. Apart from its natural capabilities, the most important factor in the development of this great Western plain has been the extension of the railway from Nyngan to Cobar—a distance of over 81 miles—at a capital cost of over £313,000. The working of the railway shows a loss after paying for working expenses and interest, the loss last year amounting to £9026. Still the increased facilities given by this branch line will, it is hoped, lead to such a development of this great district as to ultimately recoup the State for the outlay, and to make possible the development of this part of the interior. At present, however, though things are on the mend, there is only enough traffic to Cobar to justify the running of a mixed goods and passenger train from Nyngan and back three times a week. For the year ended 1892 the total earnings of the line were £5508, while last year they increased by £2732. The goods traffic from Cobar consists chiefly of wool and live stock, the number of sheep carried during the year ended 30th June last being 40,930, and the bales of wool for the same period being 6870, an increase of 2615 bales on the quantity carried over the line on the previous year. The stock returns for the district also show an increase. Last year there were in the Cobar district 1,255,075 sheep, as compared with 1,078,459 as shown by the stock returns for the previous year, there having thus been an increase of 176,616.

So far the record of the Mount Drysdale mine is a phenomenal one. With a small number of shares and the discovery of rich stone it has, under the management of a local board of directors, shown large returns in a brief period. The further development of the mine, and the results of the work being done by the various companies along the cap of the mountain, will be a matter of interest to geologists and speculators, and will have an important bearing upon the progress of Cobar—a town which in times past has owed much of its prosperity to the working of the minerals so plentifully distributed in the country around it.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

COONAMBLE, TUESDAY.

Stock movements: 1160 bullocks, from Carella station, Queensland, to Wodonga, John Simpson owner, G. S. Clerd in charge; 140 head mixed fat cattle, from selections, Magomadine, Reveley and Hicken owners, A. Leeson in charge, destination Sydney; 1100 fat sheep, from Eversleigh to Flemington, via Nevertire, A. Bramhall owner, Gaff in charge; 4000 ewes and lambs (in wool), from Killaloe, M'Manus, to selections, Coonamble, Lane and Egan owners, Harris in charge.

GLEN INNES, TUESDAY.

Stock movements: 1400 ewes, from Tippercrena, near Narrabri, to Glendon, Cramsie and Co. owners; 600 ewes, from Glendon to Eastwood, near Guyra, Thomas Love owner.

THE COAL MINES REGULATION BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your issue of to-day contains a letter from Mr. W. Pigott of very considerable importance, as coming from the chairman of at least one of the committees which the Legislative Council have had appointed to consider the subject of mining legislation. The statement to which the greatest importance is attached in this communication is, "If the bill had been a copy of the English Act I have reason to say the coal-owners would have accepted it without demur."

Now, this is practically what the recent select committee of the Assembly on "The Working of Collieries" asked for. "Your committee beg to recommend the adoption of the English Coal Mines Act with the amendments suggested in this report."

And as the Assembly's committee contained 50 per cent. of working coal miners, their recommendations may be assumed to embody the points of greatest importance to the miners' health or safety, as everyone of this committee's amendments are included in the bill passed by the Assembly, with the addition of one or two of minor consequence. Those will probably be the only points of difference from the English Act referred to by Mr. Pigott. Practically there are only five points of any importance in the present bill which differ from the English Act.

1. A fixed minimum quantity of air of 150ft. per minute. This is one of the best and, by the miners, most valued provisions of the present Act—a fixed minimum; the only difference being that after 20 years of progress they ask for 150 cubic feet instead of the 100ft. in the present Act.

2. They ask for an amendment to the distance which a man shall work before the air current. Surely this is not too much to concede? The principle is in the present Act, so that argument in its favour is unnecessary.

3. Limiting the number of men in a split. This is also in the present Act.

4. That the mines be more frequently inspected. Probably no better reason for this latter could be adduced than the verdict of the jury in the Albion Colliery explosion, which swept 500 lives away. "That a thorough inspection should be more frequently made by the mines inspector, the present examinations by workmen being worthless."

5. The eight hours. The people's representatives have demanded this on three separate occasions, and surely it cannot long be tolerated that those who represent the miners shall long stand in the way.

Mr. Pigott further says he has been assured that if the bill passes into law in its present form it will occasion the closing of many mines. It is perfectly safe to say that if the bill was in force in every mine of moderate cost legitimate mine-owners during the next 50 years in Australia 50 per cent. of the amount which the tricks of "coal-mining speculators" have cost the mining industry during the last 10 years.

I am, &c.,

Sept. 29. JAMES WILLIS.

LIQUOR UNFIT FOR CONSUMPTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Quite a number of prosecutions of hotel-keepers for exposing for sale liquor unfit for human consumption have lately taken place in and about Sydney. Your report of the several proceedings states that in every case the publican summoned has given in his evidence that the liquor in question had been supplied by one of the wholesale wine and spirit merchants or brewers, and but for the addition of water had not been tampered with in any way. In each case the person summoned has been fined, their evidence, I presume, not having received credence. I am in a position to state that at the present moment there is lying in one of the bonded stores of Sydney a quantity of rum that has been analysed by the Government Analyst, who finds it to be artificially prepared, and unfit for human consumption." This liquor has been shipped to Sydney for some time past, and has gone extensively into consumption.

If more supervision were exercised over the transactions of the brewers and large wine and spirit merchants, and the retail traders less harassed, more even-handed justice would be meted out.

I am, &c.,

K. Z.

KEROSENE OIL: DUTY THEREON, 400 PER CENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The cost of kerosene oil (refined petroleum) at the port of shipment in the United States is 9 cents (say 3½d) per American gallon, which includes the cost of tins and packages. A case contains two tins, holding 10 American, or 8 Imperial, gallons, the whole costing 50 cents, or, say, 2s per case. Deducting the cost of the two tin cans and wooden case, valued together at 1s, leaves the cost of the kerosene at 1s for the 8 gallons, or, say, 1½d per gallon. The duty thereon in New South Wales is 1½d per gallon, or 400 per cent., or, taking the charges consequent on the duty, the charges per gallon are equal to 7½d per gallon, which costs at the port of shipment, after deducting the value of the packages, 1½d, which is also the price at the wells in Russia. The value of kerosene in first hands in Sydney is 7½d a gallon, and 1s 3d per gallon duty paid. In Melbourne there is no duty on kerosene, and for that reason the price of gallon is less there than in Sydney, though they have to pay, of course, a very much higher price for their coal, which is sent from this colony.

The high price of kerosene is not only felt by those that use it, but by those that use gas, and those comprise all the residents of Sydney and environs. Kerosene is much used where it can be had at a reasonable price in the arts and manufactures, and reasonable price in the arts and manufactures, and reasonable would be largely and economically used as fuel for cooking, a great consideration for the poor housekeeper.

As you are doubtless aware, crude petroleum is found naturally from the ground, and is conveyed hundreds of miles through iron pipes to the seacoast and there refined. It is to be hoped that in the near future we may "strike oil" here. There are no valid reasons why we should not. The Government might offer reward for the first discoverer.

I may mention that the tinplate from which the cans are made is imported into the States from England, and pays a duty of some 84 per cent., and doubtless some of the tin forming the plates comes from this country, and when it comes back to us in a manufactured state we add more duty.

Having ventured to bring this matter of cheap light under notice, I trust it may be the means of removing the duty on kerosene, and I feel sure that the increased use of it in manufactures will recoup the revenue lost; and it must also be taken into consideration that the Government are large consumers of the article, and it may also be considered that, as the American Government have removed the duty on wool, it would be a graceful action on our part to remove the duty on their oil.

October 1. I am, &c., LIGHT.

How many persons are aware that a dog cemetery is to be found within the precincts of Hyde Park (asks the London *Daily Chronicle*)? It adjoins the parkkeeper's lodge at Victoria-gate, and contains at present about 80 graves. The cemetery appears to be a private speculation of the keeper, who takes the fees, provides the headstones, and performs the duties of a sexton. Whether he also acts as chaplain, or what form of service is performed, *Truth* has not been able to ascertain. The ordinary charge for an interment is 5s.; the monuments, of course, vary. The keeper shows one which is said to have cost £5. The Duke of Cambridge has two dogs buried there, and he seems to have started this public institution.

THE CENSUS OF 1891.*

Mr. Coghlan has drawn so fully upon the results of the last census, and has made so much of the information known in his various official papers and publications, that the presentable volume containing his general report has been in some parts anticipated. But it is necessary for a variety of purposes to have the subject dealt with completely and in convenient compass. To have done this is one merit of the volume under notice, which is printed with the accuracy and good workmanship of the Government Printing Office, and gains much in value by reason of the maps and diagrams employed to summarise the results of the census. Though the work bears the title of the last census taken in this colony, the subjects dealt with cover wider ground. Mr. Coghlan tells, for instance, how the practice of periodical enumeration of the peoples became adopted, how a uniform method of classification was secured by agreement and conference among the Australian statisticians, how the preparations were made for the recent census, and how the work was performed. So much of introductory matter having been furnished, the Government Statistician makes a valuable and interesting contribution to our means of knowledge about the sociology of New South Wales in the early days. He has been enabled to present in about 60 pages a complete review of the various musterings and accounts of population in the colony between its foundation and the year 1836. Ten pages more complete the survey up to 1881, and so we are brought to our own period. More than 200 pages are next required in stating the results of the census of 1891, and the information here given is arranged under several headings, the principal being density of population, ages of the people, conjugal condition, birthplaces, education, religions, sickness, and lastly the habitations and the occupations of the people. All this mass of carefully-sifted knowledge, checked and studied in all its aspects, furnished further with clear and intelligent diagrams and a good index, places under considerable obligation to Mr. Coghlan all who have to do with the statistics of the colony, whether they be legislators, public speakers, writers, or students of social economy. It is, indeed, a volume that will reflect credit upon the colony and upon the census staff. It is no small achievement for a community, still so small and scattered as this is, to have made so effective an enumeration of its members; it is creditable to the officers charged with this task that they have performed it so well that we need not fear comparison with the census work of countries the most advanced in statistical science. Owing to the partial prior publication to which reference has been made, and to the great quantity of subjects comprised within the Statistician's summary, a minute examination of this volume is not called for. It is safe to say, however, that there will be few who give it careful perusal without deriving clearer knowledge on a variety of important subjects or without an increased sense of the homogeneity of our population, the solid bases of our welfare, and the satisfactory progress of the people in industry, production, and education. Nor is it be supposed that in the three years that have elapsed since the figures were collected upon which these assertions are based, any change has taken place sufficient to reverse them. Points of interest arise very frequently in the book. Thus Mr. Coghlan points out the weakness of "the claim for the existence of a very pronounced native-born interest, when in the urban centres, which are also the centres of political activity, so strong an element exists of purely imported interests represented by an influential body of adult males exercising political rights." This, though not happily expressed, the term "purely imported interests" being either inexpressive or misleading, is borne out by Mr. Coghlan's figures. The section devoted to the aborigines is full of melancholy interest, though from the migratory nature of that people we are not disposed to hold very firmly to the results of the census in regard to the districts the blacks were inhabiting in April of 1891. The section on education is a good evidence as to the general average of instruction possessed by the people of this colony. Very interesting in several ways are the full particulars which Mr. Coghlan gives relative to the religions of the people. One fact is striking, though it confirms the experience of older countries, namely, that women are more conservative in matters of belief than are men. Several small bodies of indefinite rationalists are wholly made up by men. No woman in New South Wales, for instance, has returned herself as infidel, while 15 men have done so. Turning to the section giving particulars of the habitations of the people, there is plenty of proof that the inhabitants are well housed. Somewhat over 80 persons out of every hundred were accommodated with habitations of from 3 to 10 rooms. Mr. Coghlan, rather against a prevalent opinion, holds that "they are generally the best workers, and those whose standard of living is highest, who are most involved in strikes and combinations to maintain wages or increase them." The section on the unemployed, though it is to be feared that a good deal has happened meanwhile to affect the figures of the census, is very readable. The whole of chapter xxxi., headed "Incidents of the Census," is a relief after the weighty matters of the preceding pages. Here Mr. Coghlan collects a number of experiences and statements from the papers, very amusing many of them, pathetic some. A man whose Christian name was George called three of his girls Georgetta, Georgethell, and Georgie. Triplets who had reached the age of 19 were called Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob respectively. Four girls in one family were named Ruby, Coral, Pearl, and Emerald. A man goes about rejoicing or otherwise in the Christian name of "Enough." That may be a phonetic shot at Enoch, though. One girl was a wife of 15, and three two lads were husbands at 16, and there there was a widow of 17, and a divorced woman of 19. Probably, says Mr. Coghlan, the most remarkable case on record in Australia is that in which it was disclosed by the schedule that in a certain house resided mother, daughter, and granddaughter, aged respectively 61, 47, and 30 years, and all three living apart from their husbands. That, now, is a case which, with all respect, one does not care to take upon just the authority of a census paper. A number of parents gave details anent their children which the census office did not require, as that "she could say 'mun,'" or that another's means of support was the feeding-bottle. One of the unemployed wrote that he had been "a coachbuilder, a curse to all freetrade; cannot get work." A widow of 73 gave her occupation as studying human nature; another widow, of 65, wrote in the same column that she "was battling it out the best way I can." One man wrote of his mother-in-law that she sits in her chair all day and smokes; another complained that his wife's mother could "nag only" (blank). So much for the humour of illiterate and waggish people.

*Annual Report on the Eleventh Census of New South Wales. By T. A. Coghlan, Government Statistician, Sydney: Charles Potter, Government Printer, 1894.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

The approaching completion of the fine building being erected in Pitt-street and Martin-place for the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York is suggested by the appearance in most elegant form of a memorial of the setting of the keystone by Sir George Dibbs on 14th March last. The pamphlet contains a full report of the ceremonies, and is further embellished with a portrait of Major Rennie and a photograph of the group engaged in placing the keystone. "Life Here and Beyond" (Prahran: Drakard and Dane) is a pamphlet in which the author, "A Convert," states his views on the doctrinal subjects involved in the title. Those views are, he holds, based on the actual words of Scripture, and are uncompromising. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co. send us a little handbook of information for passengers and shippers by the Japanese Steamship Company, Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Mainly connected with Eastern lands and seas, it contains abundance of information which will be valuable to persons intending a trip to Japan or the ports touched at by the company's lines. The maps are clear, and more than a word of praise is due to the artistic merit of the process-photographs.

Messrs. R. A. Thompson and Co. forward us the September number of the Australasian edition of the *Review of Reviews*. "How I Make My Weather Forecasts," by Mr. Clement L. Wragge and "Australasian Journalism: a Cluster of New Zealand Journalists" are articles of interest in the colonial portion. Mr. Stead's character-sketch is devoted to Eugene V. Debs, president of the American Railway Union, and as the book of the month he takes Zola's "Lourdes."

The Scotch express, due to arrive at St. Pancras shortly before 8 a.m., was partially wrecked and 70 of its passengers were injured on Sunday morning, 19th August. From some cause or other the train got beyon' control, and entering the terminus, ran with great force into the buffer stops and the embankment supporting them, with the result stated.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

Pony and galloway racing will be the attraction at Warwick Farm to-day, and the programme to be played out during the afternoon promises to bring about good sport. Special trains leave Redfern at 11.15 a.m. (horses and attendants), 12.45 p.m. (second-class), and 1 p.m. (first-class), and the first race is timed to start at 2.10 p.m.

At the settling yesterday over the spring meeting of Tattersall's Club and the first day's racing in connection with the Warwick Farm October reunion some speculation took place on the Caulfield Cup, for which Paris was supported to win a couple of thousands at 100 to 5. Steadfast also had friends, who accepted all the money at 100 to 4, after which 100 to 5 was the best offer, and a couple of thousands were booked against Ruenalf at 100 to 5. There was no straight-out wagering on the V.R.C. Derby or the Melbourne Cup; but in double betting on the "two cups" combinations commencing with the horses abovementioned were backed.

The five events on the card for the A.J.C. October Meeting attracted 110 entries yesterday, distributed as under:—Hurdle Race, 8; Kirkham Stakes, 26; Sapling Stakes, 15; Field Stakes, 22; and High-weight Handicap, 29. The lists are published in another part of this issue.

The scratchings notified yesterday in connection with the programme of the Warwick Farm October Meeting are Checkmate and Finis out of the Stewards' Mile, and Newcastle, Cawarra, and Shrapnel out of the Pace Welter.

A mixed programme of bicycling and pony racing is down for discussion at the Lillie Bridge Grounds this evening, commencing at 8.15. The proprietary have given permission to the bread-carters to bring off a mile walking handicap, to be decided in the interval between the bicycling and pony racing.

Tenders are called for the fencing of a new race-course, to be known as "Rosebury Park," on the corner of Rainbow-street and Botany-road, Alexandria. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. J. Murtough, Bank-chambers, George-street, Haymarket.

The entrants for the pony and galloway meeting to be held at Kensington to-morrow number 78, of which the Fourteen-three Handicap was responsible for 10; Fourteen-one Handicap, 9; Thirteen-three Handicap, 14; Fourteen-two Welter Handicap, 19; Fourteen Hands Handicap, 9; and Kensington Handicap, 17. The lists are set forth elsewhere in this paper.

The weights for the handicaps included in the programme for the second day's racing in connection with the Warwick Farm October Meeting were declared yesterday, and will be found in another part of this issue. The opening event—the Hurdle Race—should bring about an interesting contest, and the best in appear to be Tactician, Mayday, Shiraz, and Stomach. There are a mixed lot engaged in the Farm Handicap, which are headed with Marjore with 9st 3lb, and that is more than she is entitled to, and the most favoured may be Wilfred, Michigan, and Kelso. When allotted 10st 11lb in the Stewards' Mile, Hopscotch reads remarkably well, for the others have been well handicapped up to him, and, after him, figures may favour Warminster, Sadur, and Machinist. The leading event of the day, the Warwick Farm Handicap, can hardly fail to bring about a most interesting struggle, for the weights have been aptly apportioned. It is a very difficult matter to pick upon those that are best in, but Solanum, Lustre, and Emin Pasha have no cause for complaint, while Burton, Escapade, and Tententa as well. The Pace Welter presents rather a puzzle, and it may be that Cawarra, Michigan, and Muskerioon have a slight call on the figures.

The programme framed by the Moorefield management for the pony and galloway meeting fixed for the 10th inst. demands the attention of owners and trainers of small horses on Friday next, for at 5 p.m. on that date entries close with the secretary, Mr. J. Jolly, for the following events:—Welter Handicap (13.0) of 35 sovs., lowest weight 7st 7lb, 6 furlongs; Carlton Handicap (14.2) of 30 sovs., 6 furlongs; Park Stakes, a handicap of 30 sovs., for all horses 15 hands and under that have never won an advertised prize of 20 sovs. at the time of running, 4 furlongs, Tempe Handicap (14.3) of 35 sovs., 5 furlongs; Rockdale Handicap (14.1) of 30 sovs., 5 furlongs; Kogarah Handicap (13.0) of 40 sovs., 1 mile.

The second edition of that useful turf publication, "Centaur's Index," is to hand, and contains the full performances, up to the 22nd ultimo, of the horses engaged in the leading events of the Victorian racing campaign. The information is accurately compiled, and the work has been neatly turned out by the publisher, Mr. R. P. Rurren, Little Collins-street, Melbourne.

Very little work was indulged in at Randwick yesterday morning, wet and moisture exercise being the order of the day. Brooklegh cast a mile and a quarter behind in 2 minutes 18 seconds, and is evidently in great form. Fitzpatcher ran a creditable six furlongs, while Atlas and Tuwoona were rattled over the long mile, leaving the last three-quarters of the journey behind in 1 minute 23½ seconds. Chesterman and Reconstruction were together at the end of a well run round. Albenee beat Chilled Shot and Three Star in a well run round. Paris bustled over a circle with all the fire of the people. One fact is striking, though it confirms the experience of older countries, namely, that women are more conservative in matters of belief than are men. Several small bodies of indefinite rationalists are wholly made up by men. No woman in New South Wales, for instance, has returned herself as infidel, while 15 men have done so. Turning to the section giving particulars of the habitations of the people, there is plenty of proof that the inhabitants are well housed. Somewhat over 80 persons out of every hundred were accommodated with habitations of from 3 to 10 rooms. Mr. Coghlan, rather against a prevalent opinion, holds that "they are generally the best workers, and those whose standard of living is highest, who are most involved in strikes and combinations to maintain wages or increase them." The section on the unemployed, though it is to be feared that a good deal has happened meanwhile to affect the figures of the census, is very readable. The whole of chapter xxxi., headed "Incidents of the Census," is a relief after the weighty matters of the preceding pages. Here Mr. Coghlan collects a number of experiences and statements from the papers, very amusing many of them, pathetic some. A man whose Christian name was George called three of his girls Georgetta, Georgethell, and Georgie. Triplets who had reached the age of 19 were called Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob respectively. Four girls in one family were named Ruby, Coral, Pearl, and Emerald. A man goes about rejoicing or otherwise in the Christian name of "Enough." That may be a phonetic shot at Enoch, though. One girl was a wife of 15, and three two lads were husbands at 16, and there there was a widow of 17, and a divorced woman of 19. Probably, says Mr. Coghlan, the most remarkable case on record in Australia is that in which it was disclosed by the schedule that in a certain house resided mother, daughter, and granddaughter, aged respectively 61, 47, and 30 years, and all three living apart from their husbands. That, now, is a case which, with all respect, one does not care to take upon just the authority of a census paper. A number of parents gave details anent their children which the census office did not require, as that "she could say 'mun,'" or that another's means of support was the feeding-bottle. One of the unemployed wrote that he had been "a coachbuilder, a curse to all freetrade; cannot get work." A widow of 73 gave her occupation as studying human nature; another widow, of 65, wrote in the same column that she "was battling it out the best way I can." One man wrote of his mother-in-law that she sits in her chair all day and smokes; another complained that his wife's mother could "nag only" (blank). So much for the humour of illiterate and waggish people.

ASSOCIATED CLUBS' PONY AND GALLOWAY MEETING.

The pony and galloway meeting under the management of the associated clubs was brought to conclusion on the Canterbury Park course yesterday. The weather was beautifully fine, and the track in good order, but the attendance was hardly up to the average. The running of Zero in the Ashfield Handicap formed the subject of protest by the stewards, who disqualified the horse and his rider and owner (A. O'Neill) for six months. The sport was of an interesting description throughout, and the finishes were highly creditable to the horsemanship. The results of the racing are subjoined:—

Ashfield Handicap of 25 sovs., for all horses 15 hands and under that have never won an advertised prize of 20 sovs. at time of running, 4 furlongs:—D. Malone's Zero, 3 years, 5st 9lb (A'Neill), 1; T. J. Finlay's br g Barden, aged, 7st 10lb (Higgins), 2; E. Hoy's ch m Swallow, 6 years, 6st 7lb (Phillips), 3. Other starters: Mr. Bennett's Ensemble, 5st 5lb; Mr. Cox's Wild Rose, 7st 5lb; Sesion, 7st 13lb (including 5lb over); Muscatel, 7st 5lb; Glen Vive, 7st 4lb (including 2lb over); Maybe, 7st; Little Miss, 6st 13lb; Bonnie Lass, 6st 10lb; Wild Rose, 6st 10lb; Isola, 6st 10lb; Rabbah, 6st 7lb; Enigma, 6st 7lb. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Maybe, 3 to 1 v. Finnie, 6 to 1 v. Sesion, 7 to 1 v. Muscatel, 10 to 1 v. others. Won by three parts of a length, a neck between second and third. Time, 59 seconds.

Associated Clubs' Plate, a handicap, for all horses not exceeding 15 hands in height, the amount to receive 80 sovs., and the second horse to receive 20 sovs. out of the stakes; the jockey riding the winner of each race to be presented with a pair of gloves, preferred value not exceeding 10 guineas, 6 furlongs:—D. M'Carthy as ch g Emir, aged, 7st 10lb, including 2lb over (Walker), 1; J. Finlay's br m Trust, 5 years, 7st 10lb (Higgins), 2; Mr. Ashcroft's br g Spring Gun, 5 years, 6st 12lb (Gray), 3. Other starters: Upshot, 8st 5lb; Loftus, 8st 2lb; Hilda, 8st 2lb; Silver Hill, 8st 2lb; Bonnie Lass, 8st; Rosebank, 8st; Tit, 7st 13lb; Zariff, 7st 12lb, including 2lb over; Dumaresq, 7st 12lb; Streak of Light, 7st 12lb; Clarina, 7st 9lb; Tit, 7st 9lb; Sunsetlay, 7st 9lb, including 2lb over; Romance, 6st 13lb; Dainty Bell, 6st 13lb. Betting: 3 to 1 v. Sunsetlay, 7 to 1 v. Dumaresq and Zariff, 8 to 1 v. Silver Hill, Loftus, and Upshot, 10 to 1 v. others. Won by a length and a half, a similar distance between second and third. Time, 1 minute 15 seconds.

Ashfield Handicap (14.1) of 30 sovs., 5 furlongs:—J. Lillie's b h Mistrust, 5 years, 8st (Garland), 1; J. Knight's b m Dunsinane, 5 years, 7st 10lb, including 12lb over (Knight), 2; J. Tunks' Jamieson's Shaw, aged, 8st 7lb (Holdaway), 3. Other starters: Jonquil, 8st 13lb; Lady Ida, 8st 13lb; Auctioneer, 10st 5lb; Shiraz, 10st 4lb; Wild Bird, 10st; Barney, 9st 11lb; Mayday, 9st 9lb; Binzara, 9st 9lb; Alarm Bell, 9st 7lb; Tactician, 9st 2lb; George Fox, 9st 5lb; Bullion, 9st 3lb; Dragoon, 9st 3lb; Odie, 9st 3lb; Tattersall, 9st; Gabe, 9st; Poverty, 9st.

Year Handicap, 6 furlongs.—Marjorie, 8s 3lb, Wilfred, 8st; Lightfoot, 7st 11lb; Horizon, 7st 11lb; Lord Cleredon, 7st 9lb; Amulet, 7st 9lb; Shipmate, 7st 9lb; The Raven, 7st 7lb; Lady Bernice, 7st 7lb; Latem, 7st 7lb; Change It, 7st 5lb; Gazelle, 7st 5lb; Billingara, 7st 5lb; Holbinet, 7st 3lb; Unison, 7st 3lb; Pivatcher, 7st 3lb; Crystalline, 7st; Llena, 7st; Sonny, 6st 10lb; Aigret, 6st 9lb; Windfall, 6st 9lb; Michigan, 6st 7lb; Kelso, 6st 7lb; Sacadoth, 6st 7lb.

Stewards' Mile.—Hopscotch, 10st 11lb; The Driller, 10st 9lb; Ebony, 10st 7lb; Comet, 10st 5lb; Actor, 10st 3lb; All There, 10st; Faber, 9st 9lb; Assayer, 9st 7lb; Warminster, 9st 5lb; Checkmate, 9st 3lb; Kilmore, 9st; Quadrant, 8st 9lb; Sadur, 8st 9lb; Aurelius, 8st 7lb; Rose Stella, 8st 7lb; Monter, 8st 5lb; The Corsair, 8st 5lb; Machinist, 8st 3lb; Robinet, 8st 3lb; Cradle, 8st 3lb; Finis, 8st; Sackcloth, 8st; Erith, 8st.

Warwick Farm Handicap, 1¼ mile.—Burnalf, 9st 7lb; Solanum, 9st 11lb; Stanmore, 8st 9lb; Marvel, 8st 7lb; Carrara, 8st 7lb; Boodeugh, 8st 4lb; Albacore, 8st 4lb; Division, 8st 2lb; Gingham, 8st 2lb; Emin Pasha, 8st; Carnation, 8st; Magnum, 8st 9lb; Ribellent, 7st 9lb; Milleton, 7st 7lb; Harrowgate, 7st 7lb; Lustre, 7st 4lb; Dan O'Connor, 7st 4lb; Burton, 7st 4lb; Thespian, 7st 4lb; Gemdemoan, 7st 2lb; Cadet, 7st; Escapade, 7st; Tytton, 6st 11lb; Oliver, 6st 9lb; Faber, 6st 9lb; Lady Bernice, 6st 7lb; Machinist, 6st 7lb; Reconstruction, 6st 7lb.

Pace Welter, 6 furlongs.—Ophir, 11st; Hermit, 10st 11lb; Muskerioon, 10st 10lb; Newcastle, 10st 7lb; Rebel, 10st 3lb; Waltzer, 10st; Plain Bill, 10st; Sherbrooke, 9st 11lb; King Jewel, 9st 11lb; Killarney, 9st 6lb; Milkmaid, 9st 4lb; Little Agnes, 9st 4lb; Cawarra, 9st 2lb; Marie Mar, 9st 2lb; Tivoli, 9st 2lb; Lightfoot, 9st 5lb; Tauri, 9st 5lb; Mirror, 9st 5lb; Quadrant, 9st 3lb; Amulet, 9st 2lb; Shipmate, 9st 2lb; Warrior, 9st; Palpetto, 9st; Dead Shot, 8st; Result, 8st 11lb; Guy Fawkes, 8st 11lb; Monter, 8st 11lb; The Marlee, 8st 11lb; Carnivis, 8st 11lb; Change It, 8st 9lb; Gazelle, 8st 9lb; Robinet, 8st 9lb; Unison, 8st 9lb; Foreigner, 8st 9lb; Stunning Jean, 8st 9lb; Her Ladyship, 8st 9lb; Michigan, 8st 7lb; Emmitsoon, 8st 7lb; Windfall, 8st 7lb; Shrapnel, 8st 7lb; Lenhoel, 8st 7lb; Kelso, 8st 7lb; Parkhouse, 8st 7lb.

KENSINGTON PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

The following entries were received yesterday for the meeting which takes place to-morrow:—

Fourteen-three Handicap, 5 furlongs.—Lamp, Riot, Jelly Bean, Mona Monarda, Trotter, Handbox, Artemus, Fashion II., Grand Cloge, Pride of Mudgee.

Fourteen-one Handicap, 4½ furlongs.—Fatih, Lady Kelpie, Jockey Boy, Gousbona, Gipsy Queen, Esther, Black Jack, P. W., Ocean Boy.

Thirteen-three Handicap, 4½ furlongs.—Carmen, Lady Dudley, Mona Monarda, Trotter, Handbox, Artemus, Fashion II., Grand Cloge, Pride of Mudgee.

Fourteen-two Welter Handicap, 4½ furlongs.—The Diver, Starlight, Lady Redfern, Hinsman, Morpeth, Telegraph, Kitchener, Infelice, Co-Equal, Commodore, Banana, Marangaroo, Eurydice, Coquette, Isaah, Lady Betty (late Viola), 17. The Doubt, Secret, Spangle.

Fourteen Hands Handicap, 5 furlongs.—Llama, Fortie, Marie, Peggy, Greeling, Black Swan, J. E., Jet, Lilian.

Kensington Handicap (15.0), 6 furlongs.—Kearsage, Loftus, Wilga, Nina, M'Lise, Riot, Lady Duffer, Bandbox, Barty, Arizona, Hostile, Zeo, Graphic, Grand Cloge, Loyalist, Fraud, Shamrock.

LILLIE BRIDGE RACES.

The following handicaps have been declared for the races to be run this evening:—

Bicycle Race, Bona fide residents, minimum weight 9st 5lb., 1 mile.—A. Burton, scratch; J. Burton, W. T. Fallon, 20; W. J. M'Cormack, 50; H. Peacock, 60; R. M'Farland, 155; W. Mitso, 160; F

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY EVENING.

The business of the week in the Stock and Share market has opened quietly. Most of the bank stocks were scarcely so high, a sale of Bank of New South Wales being made at a reduction of 5s on the last quoted price. Bank deposits were on the same footing as yesterday. Queensland, however, was £577,614 only, as compared with £989,050 three months back.

The quarter's revenue for the four principal Australian colonies has fallen off, as will be seen from the following figures :—

—	September Quarter, 1893.	September Quarter, 1894.	Decrease.
New South Wales	£2,400,339	£2,288,562	£111,437
Victoria	1,553,976	1,535,964	17,956
South Australia	550,393	514,818	35,837
Queensland	1,042,172	1,010,572	32,140

The decline in New South Wales revenue was apparently larger than in the other colonies, though not actually so if the fact of £126,250 of Treasury bonds appearing in the Victorian figures be considered, that, of course, being quite an exceptional way of swelling revenue. The Victorian revenue was also swollen by an addition of £36,500 interest from the Melbourne Board of Works in excess of the figures of the like quarter last year. The withdrawal of an unusual quantity of sugar also increased the figures of the Southern colony by about £32,500, though the New South Wales revenue benefited by a considerable addition from the like source.

The quarter's Customs revenue in the four colonies compares as follows :—

—	Sept. Quarter, 1893.	Sept. Quarter, 1894.	Increase.	Decrease.
N.S. Wales	£ 534,014	£ 537,993	£ 23,979	£
Victoria	437,375	464,177	26,802	
South Australia	126,549	153,498		3,149
Queensland	273,754	291,242	15,488	

From a report of the proceedings at the annual meeting of the Colonial Bank of New Zealand at Dunedin on the 26th September we learn that the statement on which our cable news was based, to the effect that the bank was the strongest in New Zealand, was that its proportion of capital and reserve in relation to liabilities represented 17·33 per cent. The chairman (Mr. Maclean) said that though the future did not look quite so promising as could be wished for good banking profits, it had not been considered necessary to curtail the usual dividend of 7 per cent. per annum, which had been paid for the last 13 years. Referring to the proposed amalgamation, to which he knew many of the shareholders were opposed, he said that they were induced to take action because of the detrimental tendency on their business of late Government banking legislation, which would give a rival institution cheaper money. It was naturally thought that losses having been made by the Bank of New Zealand, the banks were on all fours. In consequence, their shares, though never better property than now, were depreciated in the market. The action of the Government towards the Bank of New Zealand gave their bank a claim for consideration for a share of the operative Government account in the colony in addition to a third of the remittance business they already enjoyed. The directors offered to allow a Government auditor to examine their accounts, and they claimed that their active co-operation with the Bank of New Zealand would give enhanced stability to both institutions. He referred in detail to the writing-down processes which had kept the bank in so strong a position. As justifying the directors in sanctioning the consideration of a proposal for amalgamation, necessarily the bank had suffered by the loss of some money in London; but it now only held £350,000, the due dates of which extended over periods of five years. Accommodation to customers had in consequence to be lessened, since hundreds of thousands of pounds of the best business in the colony had been offered to them and declined simply because they had to pursue a conservative policy. While they were considering this state of things it was suggested that an amalgamation was possible and desirable. But they did not accept the Government conditions because they could not submit to the limitation of the profits of the amalgamated bank for the purposes of the United Company, nor to the measure of Government interference suggested.

At a special general meeting of shareholders of the Bank of New Zealand at Wellington on the 26th September Messrs. W. Booth, M. Kennedy, T. G. Macarthy, Hon. W. W. Johnston, and R. H. Glyn were elected as directors. Mr. John Murray, the chairman, referred to the Government guarantee of £2,000,000 as a feature that added to the strength and stability of the bank and by and bye would tend to swell its profits. As to the appointment by Government of the president and auditor, he denied that politics would exercise any influence. He felt confident that the Government would belie any anticipations of the appointment of prominent political men, supporters of their party without regard to fitness. Statements antagonistic to the bank had been made that the Government would run it—that it would be a political machine—that the Government would know all about customers' affairs. He believed that the Government would know nothing more about the confidential affairs of the bank than in the past. As to the functions of president and auditor the chairman said :

> The president, while representing the Government and primarily safe-guarding the interests of the country, will be an officer exclusively devoted to his duties and attached to the bank as, to that extent, an official having its interests at heart. The auditor will be in the position of a bank inspector, with this difference—that he will not be responsible to the directors, nor hold his place at their discretion, and will therefore be under no temptation to be subservient to them. Both officials will be under the usual honourable pledge of secrecy. They will not interfere with or hinder, but will rather promote the ordinary business of the bank. The president will only interfere with his veto to stop improper business. If, for instance, the directors were to help themselves or their friends to your money, or were to make advances for rash and speculative business, it would be his duty to stop such transactions. And if we could conceive of his prohibition being disregarded, it would next be incumbent on him to report to the Colonial Treasurer, who would then apply to the Supreme Court to restrain the directors. This is the sum and substance of what the Government can ever do in the way of interposition in the bank's affairs.

Amalgamation, he regarded as desirable, with a view to reduce the expenses of banking. The Bank of New Zealand could do twice the amount of business without any appreciable addition to its expenses. In preparing the agreement, he had protected the bank's interests against the taking of bad risks by stipulating that the directors should be judges of what was to be taken and what rejected. He was satisfied that at first the Government was in favour of amalgamation, otherwise he would never have signed any provisional agreement. But circumstances had arisen which led the Government to alter its views.

While these views were expressed by those who had framed the agreement on behalf of the two banks a feeling prevailed in the colony that there was further risk in the terms of the proposed amalgamation than the £2,000,000 of guarantee. The Canterbury Chamber of Commerce in fact passed a resolution requesting Parliament to decline to ratify it. It was no doubt outside influences of this kind which led the Government to abandon any intention they may have had to favour it. Hence the Government imposed conditions preparatory to a formal consideration of it which were not acceptable to the banks. The Government insisted on an independent scrutiny of the assets, that the profits of the amalgamated bank after the expiration of the Government guarantee in 10 years be devoted to making good any deficit in liquidating the Estates Company, and further that the Government nominate the chairman and two directors of the Estates Company and a director, as well as the president and auditor of the combined bank. The bank's representatives agreed to the independent scrutiny, but objected to the other proposals. The Government declined to depart from the conditions, and there the correspondence ended.

In Victoria, it appears, there was more activity in business, as in this colony, in the closing days of September, and the Melbourne *Argus* says that from this time to the close of the year affairs ought to be brisk if they are going to be brisk at all this season. It is said that an unsatisfactory feature of the mercantile field is the growing difficulty of getting cash settlements, especially from the agricultural districts. The prospects of the wheat harvest in the Lower Wimmera and Mallee are considered to be good.

IMPORT MARKET.

Business in the Import market to-day showed the effects of yesterday's holiday, and not many transactions came under notice. Distributors, however, were fairly busy, having two days' accumulation of orders in hand. It is early yet to judge of October's business, but so far it promises to show some improvement on that of September. Market movements were few and of an unimportant character. Tea had some inquiry in view of possible eventualities arising out of the Corean war. Intelligence from Colombo also points to a curtailment of supply, owing to the persistence of unfavourable weather. Private advices from Colombo state that the total export to the colonies in August was only 336,914lb., whereas the average per month since May had been 600,000lb. The total exports to Australia from 1st May to 11th September were 2,469,000lb. Sugar continued in plentiful supply, with fair business passing at current quotations. Some of the Queensland plantations are drawing near to the end of their crushing season, and will probably cease operations during the current month. Up to 15th September 21,661 tons of the Queensland crop had been exported. Last season the total quantity exported was 55,196 tons, but this year it is expected that quantity will be largely exceeded. In dried fruits dates are scarce. Good samples are in small compass, and can only be purchased at full prices. The hardware department continues quiet. At auction about 120,000ft. Oregon timber was sold, at from 9s 6d to 10s.

Tea had fair inquiry, China of medium to fine descriptions being in some request. About 250 packages were placed at 6d to 6½d. For 60 chests Ceylon pekoe 7½d was paid. Of the Colombo market Messrs. Bathgate, Pim, and Co. write on 11th September :—

> The sales on 6th September were again small, and largely composed of low or medium elevation growths. Quality was consequently mostly but medium to good medium in grinding. The weather in the higher districts has been such that the plant has stopped flushing. The few "fine" offered showed weakness, and were withdrawn. Common to good medium leafy grades, on the other hand, were in strong demand, and sold well up to previous sale's values, the demand "for price" being especially keen at 86 to 88 cents for common mixed leaf smokeings and best smokings, say 8 to 8½d. Auctions for ports. With a continuance of present weather in the producing districts supplies must necessarily continue on a small scale, and values we put better than closing weather very shortly, it is hardly possible for this year's estimated crop of about 90 million to be realised. A coarser system of pinching, which, however, we do not think likely to be adopted, sales quality grades fall materially from their present position, would materially add to the yield. Exchange, 1s 2d six months' credits on London.

The following particulars respecting the Calcutta tea market are from the Indian Tea Circular of Messrs. Davenport and Co. :—

> Public sales have comprised about 48,000 packages, nearly 42,000 of which have been sold. Quality has been good. Cachars, Sylhets, and Darjeelings have all shown improvement; fine and finest have not been largely represented, but common to medium softs have been in full supply. Market; On the 23rd instant the tone was quiet, and prices generally were lower, but there was a keen inquiry throughout to-day's sales, and the market closes with an upward tendency for all grades and qualities. "Tea for price" sold at 6½d, under an active demand. Rombay has taken a fair quantity during the fortnight at about previous rates. Districts: Latest advices are generally satisfactory, weather being favourable for outturn and quality. Average: For sale of 16th August, 5s 4d, or about 10d; for sale of 23rd August, 5s, or about 9½d. Exchange has fluctuated considerably, and closes firm at the following quotations :—Six months' credit on London, 1s 1⅝d to 1s 2d; 60 days' sight D P on Australia, 1s 2d to 1s 2¼d. The Hooldans (s.) left Calcutta on 23rd August with 286,000lb. tea for Melbourne and 142,067lb. for Sydney.

Sugar had fair inquiry for trade requirements at unaltered prices. Sales of best whites were made at £22 to £22 5s, and transactions in Fairymead, Ripple Creek, Mackaade, and Bellevue were noted. In a second white business was done at £21 10s, in "off" whites at £20 10s to £21, and in yellows at £19 10s.

In general groceries the following sales were reported :—200 boxes DRJ candles, for export, to arrive Southern Cross, 5d ; 50 boxes oleenes, for export, 2d ; 25-case lots salmon, for export, 4s 10½d ; 50 cases Bee (½-pint) salad oil ; 20 tons Liverpool coarse salt, for export, 3⅝s. Trade sales Remy's starch, Pearl, Phœbus, and Petrolene candles, Epps's cocoa, Fry's cocoa, and Parson's flaked oatmeal.

Wines and spirits were rather quiet. Sales aggregating 900 cases Wolfe's schnapps were made for the opening of the month. In bulk and case ale a fair trade continues to be transacted, and M'Ewan's, in wood and glass, is going into consumption from ship's side. The demand for rum now runs mostly on quarter-casks, with slacker trade owing to the approach of warm weather. Business in the following brands came under notice :—Brandies Bisquit, Julienne's, Central Society's, Augier Frères', Bardon's and Jobit's ; rum, Mario Brizard's and Lamb's ; gin, Nicholson's ; whiskies, Dickens's, Gaelic, Walker's, Glenlivet, John Jameson and Son's, Robertson's, Dundee, Cromarty, and Brown and Co.'s three-star ; ales and stout, Jeffrey's, Bulldog, Pig, and Beaver.

Kerosene was quiet, and was moving slowly for trade requirements at 1s 2½d to 1s 3d. For small trade lots of turpentine 2s 8d was paid. China oil was neglected. Castor oil was unchanged at 2s 4d to 2s 5d. Calcutta advices by mail report a firm market at unaltered prices. In Blundell and Spence's linseed oil a little business was done at 2s 5½d and 2s 7½d for raw and boiled respectively. Half-ton lots Champion's genuine white lead, £26 15s and £27 15s for ewts. and qrs. respectively, with possible concession for larger parcel.

Jute goods were quiet. In cornsacks small sales were made at 4s 6d. Calcutta advices by mail state that this year's jute crop, though a good one, will not turn out so large as was expected. Branbags and Hessian goods are likely were difficult to buy, mills being practically sold out. For next year the nominal quotation for branbags was 20r. 8a.

The following sales of chemicals were reported :—5 tons roll sulphur, 3 tons ditto flowers, ½-ton lots cream of tartar, ½-ton tartaric acid, 1 ton carbonate of soda at £9 10s, 1 ton bluestone.

Fencing wire was unaltered, No. 8 being still quoted £7 12s 6d, and scarce. To arrive a concession could be obtained. No. 10 was selling in trade parcels at the same price. Sales of Blackwall galvanised iron, totalling 18 cases, good assortment, £17 15s. Trade parcels of wire nails, 10 gauge, were sold at 12s to 12s 6d. Deliveries were being made of 1000 boxes tinplates, which have been sold some time ago "to arrive." Other sales included 50 boxes I.C. coke tinplates for export, 13s ; 2 tons sheet lead, £14 5s ; 2500ft. galvanised wrought-iron pipe, 57½ off list ; 2½ tons zinc sheets for export, £23. At auction Messrs. Fraser and Co. sold about 120,000ft. Oregon timber at from 9s 6d to 10s.

Messrs. Fraser and Co. announce by advertisement elsewhere that they will sell by auction at their rooms, to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, at 11, a catalogue of Indian and Ceylon teas, under instructions from Messrs. Parbury, Henty, and Co.

Messrs. Harris and Ackman announce by advertisement elsewhere that they will hold their usual weekly sale of hardware, ironmongery, &c., at their rooms, to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, at 11.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £10,044. The principal items were :—

> Spirits, £3986 ; wine, still, £62 ; wine, sparkling, £121 ; ale, porter, and beer, in wood, £15 ; ale, porter, and beer, in bottles, £54 ; tobacco and snuff, £394 ; cigars, £145 ; cigarettes, £112 ; sugar, unrefined, £305 ; rice, £14 ; dried fruits, £26. Specific duties : Acetic acid, £14 ; advertising matter, £61 ; bacon and hams, £80 ; biscuits, £10 ; bolts, spikes, and nuts, &c., £17 ; candles, £11 ; cement, £10 ; cocoa and chocolate, £34 ; confectionery, £49 ; fish, tinned, preserved, or salt, £71 ; flour, £44 ; fruits boiled, &c., £31 ; fruits, green, £113 ; galvanised iron, £32 ; hay and chaff, £10 ; meat, preserved, £11 ; oil, various, £40 ; oils, in bottle, £11 ; oilmen's stores, pickles and sauces, £20 ; paints and colours in oil, £17 ; paper, brown, £10 ; potatoes, £70 ; timber, lumber, unmanufactured, £288 ; timber, manufactured over 75 per cent., £29 ; varnishes, all other, £23. Ad valorem : 10 per cent., £1167 ; 15 per cent., £144. Harbour and light rates, £29 ; pilotage, Sydney, £29 ; colonial distilled spirits, £116 ; excise on tobacco, £500 ; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £200 ; excise on beer, £1267. Total, £10,044.

EXPORT MARKET.

The following cable messages, dated 1st October, respecting the progress of the London wool sales, have been handed to us for publication :—

> The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited.—"Wool market unchanged."
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> Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devitt, Limited.—"Market weaker, especially for scoured merino inferior to medium."
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> Dalgety and Company, Limited.—"Sales continue firm without further change."
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> The Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Company, Limited.—"Sales continue animated. As compared with closing rates of last series, prices for greasy are 1d to 2d higher ; there for scoured are generally maintained. Prices for crossbreds are on a par with closing rates of last series."

Periodical sales of rabbitskins were held in London on 17th August. The following particulars are from the report of Messrs. Dyster, Naldor, and Co. :—

> At these sales 2093 bales Australasian rabbitskins were offered, and 1513 bales sold. The demand was variable. Season and incoming skins sold steadily without change in value. Spring and autumn produce, which was in heavy supply, proved a dull market, at a decline ranging from 1d to 2d per lb. Wormy parcels, the sales of which were more or less forced by reason of condition, were with difficulty got rid of at 5s prices, in many instances 5d per lb. below estimated value. Blacks suitable for furriers' work elicited keen competition, and made fancy prices. Fawns were in less request, and receded from their recent high range of values. The Continent bought freely, whilst the home trade took a fair amount of stock. Few, if any, orders were traceable to America. The skins sold as follows :—New Zealand : Well-furred, 1s to 1s 2d per lb ; fairly-furred, 9½d to 11½d ; low in fur, 5d to 8½d ; suckers and small, 3d to 4½d ; black and silver grey, 6d to 8d ; yellow, 10½d to 1s 1d. Tasmanian, Adelaide, and Melbourne : Well-furred, 9d to 11½d per lb. ; fairly-furred, 7d to 8½d ; low in fur, 3½d to 6d ; suckers, small, and worn, 2d to 4d ; black and yellow, 8½d to 9½d.

At Darling Harbour to-day 7266 bales of wool were manifested, 3177 arrived coastwise, and 782 were received by rail at Newcastle yesterday.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

[By Cable.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

LONDON, Oct. 1.

TALLOW STATISTICS.

Imports of tallow during September were 7960 casks, and deliveries 8460 casks. The total stock of tallow on 1st October was 19,300 casks.

COPPER STATISTICS.

The total supplies of copper during September were 25,100 tons, and quotations are without important alteration ; but there was a strong demand for Mount Lyell (Tas.), and sales to good extent were effected at 51s 6d to 53s, easing at the close to 52s 6d seller. Comet (Tas.) rather easier, selling at 3s 3d. Broken Hill Proprietary, 9s 6d. Not much was done in 9s 6d ; Block 14, 5s. Not much was done in but Western Australian gold companies, supported in most prices were fairly well cases, Bayley's Reward selling at 22s 3d to 22s ; Bayley's South having buyer at 53s, without bring-ing out close seller ; Tindal selling at 6s 5d for coming out close seller ; Tindal selling at 6s 5d for coming out close seller ; Victory, 3s 10d ; tributing and 9s 6d for paid up ; Victory, 3s 10d ; tributing and 9s 6d for paid up ; Victory, 3s 10d ; Fortune of War, 6s 2d ; Crosus, 7s 2d ; Bayley's Fortune of War, 6s 2d ; Crosus, 7s 2d ; Bayley's Consols, 4s 6d. Among Victorian gold companies the Consols, 4s 6d. Among Victorian gold companies the principal changes were :—Black Horse, which were principal changes were :—Black Horse, which were in good demand, and sold at 5s 9d to 6s 6d, in good demand, and sold at 5s 9d to 6s 6d, and United Brothers, which had buyer at 62s, and United Brothers, which had buyer at 62s, and held for 65s. Other principal sales were :— held for 65s. Other principal sales were :— and held for 65s. Other principal sales were :— Cornish United, 6s to 10s ; Garden Gully, 20s ; Great Cornish United, 6s to 10s ; Garden Gully, 20s ; Great Extended, Hustler's, 10s 6d ; New Prince of Wales, Extended, Hustler's, 10s 6d ; New Prince of Wales, 4s 8d to 5s ; New St. Mungo, 2s 10d to 3s ; New 4s 8d to 5s ; New St. Mungo, 2s 10d to 3s ; New Victoria Catherine, 6s 3d ; Great South Long Victoria Catherine, 6s 3d ; Great South Long Tunnel, 50s to 56s 4d ; Long Tunnel Extended, 50s ; Tunnel, 50s to 56s 4d ; Long Tunnel Extended, 50s ; Toombon, 11s 6d ; Chalk's, 3s 6d ; Grand Duke, Toombon, 11s 6d ; Chalk's, 3s 6d ; Grand Duke, 3s 11d to 3s 8½d ; North Duke, 15s to 14s 10d ; 3s 11d to 3s 8½d ; North Duke, 15s to 14s 10d ; Derby United, 12s 6d to 13s 9d. Derby United, 12s 6d to 13s 9d.

ADELAIDE, TUESDAY.

The wheat market is exceedingly dull. During the day there were very few operations at 2s 1d to 2s 1½d.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.—TUESDAY.

TRADE IN SUBSEE-STREET.

In nearly all departments in the produce trade to-day business was brisk. Yesterday was a holiday, and to-day opened a new month, and, as usual, Sussex-street was pervaded by a higher degree of animation than that the plant has stopped flushing. The few "fine" offered showed weakness, and were withdrawn. Common to good medium leafy grades, on the other hand, were in strong demand, and sold well up to previous sale's values, the demand "for price" being especially keen at 86 to 88 cents for common mixed leaf smokeings and best smokings, say 8 to 8½d. Auctions for ports. With a continuance of present weather in the producing districts supplies must necessarily continue on a small scale, and values we put better Sussex-street was pervaded by a higher degree of animation than yesterday, and by heavy traffic up and down Sussex-street and the carrying and by rail supplies forward since Friday were heavy. The maize market was easier, and holders were selling at 1s 11d. The market was dull. Oats had steady sale at ruling prices. Barley was easier, and quoted at 3s 9d to 4s 10d per bushel. Other lines in the feed grains market were quiet and without alteration. In the forage department all lines sold well. Chaff on the wharfs was in good demand at full rates. Lucerne was going off slowly at £3 for medium and £3 per ton for best. At Redfern the morning supplies were heavy. Chaff was in active demand up to £4 3s 4d per ton. Lucerne hay sold well at higher prices. Prime realised from £3 10s to £3 18s 4d per ton. Oaten hay was in good request at full prices. The potato market business was brisk and prices were firmer. The highest figure paid for prime redskins was £2 13s 4d per ton. On the wharfs potatoes were going off well at full rates. Onions were firm, and were quoted as on Saturday. Green beans sold well at 2d per lb. At other produce products business was brisk. Butter was selling freely as per quotations. Eggs had ready sale at 5½d, and special lots 6d per dozen. Both cheese and bacon moved off well at ruling prices. Poultry was in good demand, but prices remain unaltered.

FEED-GRAINS MARKET.

In the feed-grains market maize was easier and dull. Oats had steady sale at ruling prices. Barley was easier, and quoted at 2s 9d to 2s 10d. Other lines were quiet and unchanged.

Maize.—Dull. 1s 11d per bushel.

Oats.—Steady. Best feed, 2s 1d to 2s 2d per bushel. Seed, 2s 2d to 2s 3d per bushel.

Barley.—2s 9d to 2s 10d per bushel.

Peas.—Grey 3s 6d, and blue 3s 9d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Good whole samples, 2s 10d per bushel.

BREADSTUFFS.

Business dull at late rates, viz. :—New South Wales rollers, £17 to £17 5s. Best milling wheat nominally 2s 9d to 2s 10d.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Bran was quiet with buyers willing to operate at 7½d, and pollard was dull and unchanged. Bran was quoted at 7½d, and pollard 6½d per bushel.

FORAGE MARKET.

In the forage market on the wharfs chaff was in good demand at full rates. At Redfern this morning chaff sold well at advanced prices, as also did lucerne hay. Only one truck of straw was submitted.

The closing quotations were :—

Chaff.—Demand good. Victorian, prime, £3 15s to £4 2s 6d ; medium, from £3 5s to £3 10s. Adelaide, prime, £4 2s 6d. Local, prime, £4 to £4 3s 6d ; medium, from £3 10s ; inferior, from £3 per ton ; straw chaff, from 2s 2d to 2s 8d per cwt.

Lucerne.—Hunter River, from £3 ; prime, £3. Railway : Prime, £3 10s to £3 15s 6d ; medium, £3 5s ; inferior, from £2 to £3 15s per ton.

Straw.—Dull. Local derrick-pressed, up to £2 ; bundled, £1 10s 6d to £2 ; prime, £2 2s 6d ; oaten, £2 5s per ton.

Hay.—Prime scarce. Local oaten, in bundles, prime, £3 10s to £4 ; medium, £3 10s per ton.

POTATO MARKET.

In the potato market business was fairly brisk. Circulars were unaltered. At Redfern this morning potatoes were in good demand at advanced prices.

The closing quotations were :—

Potatoes.—From Bowral, £3 5s to £3 10s ; New Zealand, £2 5s to £2 10s per ton ; prime redskins, 2s 9d to 2s 10d ; Brownells, 1s 9d to 2s 1d ; inferior and mixed kinds, from 1s 5d to 1s 7d per cwt.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Onions.—Firm. Prime, £12 10s per ton.

Beeswax.—Dark, 9d ; good bright, 10d to 10½d : choice to 10½d per lb.

Honey.—Sold to 3d.

Lard.—Finely rendered, in bladders, 4d ; bulk, 3½d per lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

In dairy products business was brisk ; all lines moved off well at late rates.

The closing quotations were :—

Butter.—Plentiful. The official quotations of the Dairy Farmers' Association are :—Creamery, 9½d ; factory, 9d ; dairy, 7d to 8d. Mudgee butter, 9d ; Berrima and South Coast districts at 9d.

Eggs.—Ready sale ; 5½d, special lots 6d per dozen.

Cheese.—Hams, fair demand. Hard-cured bacon, 5½ ; machine-cured, 4d to 4½d ; farmers' lots, 3d to 4d ; colonial hams, machine-cured 5d to 7d, hand-cured 6d to 10d per lb.

Bacon.—Good demand. Loaf, 4½d to 5d ; large, 4d to 4½d per lb.

Poultry.—Good demand. Fowls, 2s 6d to 3s 6d ; young roosters, 3s 6d ; ducks, 3s to 3s 6d ; geese, 4s to 5s ; turkeys, cocks 8s to 8s, hens 5s to 5s per pair.

WOOD SALES.

At the Darling Harbour wood sales to-day business was dull. At auction this morning 40 trucks were submitted. Closing quotations were :—Footwood, 5s to 10s ; bundled, 5s to 5s 6d ; bakers', 6s to 6s 6d ; split, 6s 6d to 6s ; billet, 6s to 7s ; bark, 5s to 7s 6d per ton.

BRISBANE SALES.

This morning at the Redfern Brisbane Produce Market supplies of forage forward were heavy. About 20 trucks were outside the shed waiting for admission to the sale lines. Altogether 90 trucks of all descriptions of forage were submitted, and there was a large attendance of buyers. All lines sold well and prices realised generally were firmer. Chaff was in active demand. Prime realised 4s to 4s 2d, medium from 3s 6d, and inferior 3s. Straw chaff sold at from 2s 2d to 2s 5d per cwt. A truckload of exceptionally prime green chaff was knocked down at 5s 7d per cwt., the highest price realised at Redfern for some time past. Old lucerne hay was in good request. Prime brought 3s 6d to 3s 10d, medium from 3s 3d, and inferior from 2s to 2s 9d per cwt. Oaten hay sold fairly well. Prime realised 3s 9d to 4s, and medium from 3s 3d per cwt. Only one truckload of straw was offered, the price realised being 2s per cwt. The potato sale opened very brisk, and prices on the wharf showed improvement. Redskins brought 2s 2d to 2s 9d, Brownells 1s 9d to 2s 1d, and inferior and mixed samples 1s 2d to 1s 7d per cwt. Onions found buyers at 1s 10d and 1s 11½d per bushel. Small consignments of bran and wheat were offered, but found no purchasers.

At Redfern this morning supplies of the various descriptions actually submitted at to-day's sales :—Chaff, 54 trucks ; lucerne, 12 ; hay, 7 ; maize, 2 ; bran, 2 ; wheat, 1 ; potatoes, 17 ; and onions, 1.

The number of trucks manifested this morning was 70, being apportioned as follows :—Chaff, 32 ; hay, 14 ; potatoes, 12 ; wheat, 8 ; bran, 3 ; straw, 4 ; and maize, 6 trucks.

Among the consignees were :—Messrs. Inglis and Son, E. M. Butter and Co., Peat and Perry, H. Prescott and Co., G. Allen, Elliss and Co., J. Bridge and Co., E. Little and Son, J. A. Moore, Heaton Bros., and Hill, Clark, and Co.

The above supplies were disposed of as follows :—

Chaff.—From Page, Middlepass (truck No. 5309) 2s 6d, (1321) 3s 6d, and (318) 3s 6d ; Nicholls (3029) 3s 6d, (2944) 3s 6d, and (4447) 3s 6d ; M'Cauley Bros., Yeongle (5411) 4s, and (5379) 3s 11d ; Dubbo Milling Company, Dubbo (3203), 3s 10d ; Hubbard Brothers, Mary Vale (2441), 3s 6d ; Smith (3027, 7494, 8283, and 3777) passed ; (7322 and 5644) 3s 6d, (7417) 3s 11d, and (10341) 3s ; Klein, Parkes (59), 3s 6d, and (6373) 3s 6d ; Wise (3662), 3s 7d ; A. M'Dermott, Orange (3804), passed, and (1602) 2s 10d ; Eade, Regina (5529), 3s 6d ; Gunn, Keleo (9414), part 3s 4d ; Johnson, Yass Town (328), 3s, cats 2s ; Slattery, Spring Hill (3469), 3s 4d, and (3871) 3s 6d ; O'Brien, Temora (4219), 4s 5d ; Crawley, Junee (9045), 3s 6d, (11469) 3s 6d, (9788) passed, (4159) 3s 4d, and (4399) 3s 6d ; Matthews, Keleo (4104), 3s 11d ; Watterson, Lime Siding (1070), 3s 5d, (2074) 3s 7d, and (3038) 3s 3d ; O'Malley, Blayney (4662), 4s 1d ; M'Tyeanot, Orange (9109), 3s 9d, and (7064) 3s 6d ; Treves, Boreonne (3250), 3s 8d ; Smith and Gunlagni (9276), 4s 7d ; Rial, Narrandera (9944), 4s 1d ; Brunskill Wages (6347), 4s 1d, and (9352) 4s 1d ; Hayes and Russell, Queanbeyan (1470), 3s 8d ; Broadhead, Goulburn (10,036), 3s 1d ; Ready (Perth (2173), 3s 7d ; Hudson, Temora (5765), 3s 3d ; Cables, Raglan (7111), 3s 3d ; King, King's Vale (7880), 4s ; Couch, Boreonne (4625), 3s 3d ; and Furness, Perth (5438), 3s 5d per cwt.

Lucerne.—From Pratley, George's Plains (9549), 3s 6d, and (9250) 3s 6d ; Murray, Brewongle (736), 3s 10d ; Ingall, Willow Tree (3545), 3s 2d, and (8262) 3s 1d ; Leadbeater, Kingerlon (X196), 3s 1d ; Gower, Windsor (3622), 3s, and (3452) 2s ; Wilson, Wellington (5232), 3s 3d ; Pratley, Wellington (3282), 3s 6d ; M'Phee, Mudgee (4936), 3s 3d ; and Harrison and Johnstone, Perth (548), 2s 9d per cwt.

Hay.—From Bourke, Brewongle (829), 2s 7d ; Ewin, Lime Siding (949), 3s 6d ; Hickey, Brewongle (3593), 3s 10d ; Mutton, Perth (3366), 3s 5d ; Smith, Marulan (4459), 3s 7d ; Hamer, Perth (6841), 3s 9d ; and Glazebrook (85), 4s per cwt.

Straw.—Bundled, from Morris, Perth (10,036), 2s per cwt.

Potatoes.—From Clements, Blayney (3556), 2s 3d, (985) 1s 6d, 42 bags 1s 5d ; M'Shane, Lidsdale (3707), passed ; (10,013) 2s 3d, (1199) 6d bags 2s 7d, (9106) 2s 3d, (7979) and (X98) passed ; Lansdowne (3669), 2s 8d, (7851) 2s 6d, (5774) passed ; Walshaw, Raglan (935), 2s 3d ; Dowse, Tarana (9626), 1s 7d ; Cunningham, Perth (7378), 1s 6d ; Barrett, 2s 1d per cwt. ; Richards, Millthorpe (5916), passed ; and Barbour, Goulburn (2823), 2s 3d per cwt.

Wheat.—From May and Bass, Temora (9401), passed ; Bran.—From M'Gee and Quin, Parkes (10,018), passed ; Dubbo Milling Company, Dubbo (871), passed.

Maize.—From Woodstock (9512), 1s 10d ; and Cameron, Waldchmara (4392), 1s 11½d per bushel.

FRUIT MARKETS.

At the Bathurst-street Fruit Markets this morning supplies of all kinds of fruit were small. The Tambo (s.) arrived this morning with over 6000 cases of fruit, but she was not in time for the fresh supplies to be placed on the market. Buyers were in good attendance and business tolerably active. Apples were firm as per quotations. In local fruit business was fairly brisk, and prices were firmer owing to small supplies. Mandarins were scarce and prices harder. Export case of oranges showed an advance of 6d per case. Inferior passion fruit was quoted at 2s 6d to 3s 6d per gin-case. No Fiji bananas are on the market.

Current quotations are :—

Apples.—Tasmanian : French Crabs, ripe 5s, good green 4s 6d to 5s ; Scarlet Pearmains, small 4s, medium 5s to 7s, choice 8s ; Stunners, 4s 6d to 5s, choice 5s 6d ; inferior scarlet apples, 4s per case.

Oranges.—Plentiful. Export case, 3s 6d to 3s 9d ; good, 3s to 4s ; choice, up to 5s ; navels, 7s, choice 10s ; Seville, 3s to 5s ; windfalls, from 1s to 1s 6d per case.

Lemons.—Scarce. 2s 6d to 3s 6d per gin-case.

Mandarines.—Scarce. Thornless, medium 3s to 4s, choice up to 7s 6d ; Emperors, 4s to 5s, choice up to 8s per case.

Pineapples.—In fair demand at—Ordinary, 5s ; Queens, 6s per case.

Passion Fruit.—Choice, up to 10s per gin-case ; inferior, almost unsaleable at 2s 6d to 3s 6d.

Loquats.—Scarce. Inferior, 2s 3d to 3s ; medium, 4s ; choice, 5s per gin-case.

Tomatoes.—3s 6d per quarter-case.

Bananas.—Queensland, 1s 6d to 2s per bunch.

Cocoanuts.—7s to 8s per bag.

Dates.—2d per lb.

Peanuts.—2½d to 3d per lb.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

Supplies of all kinds of vegetables at the Belmore Vegetable Markets this morning were heavy ; buyers were early in moderate attendance, and business was exceedingly slow. Cabbages were 6d per dozen firmer. Cauliflowers are falling off in supply, and prices in consequence showed an advance of 9d per dozen. This morning 900 bushels of peas were expected to Melbourne. Prices showed an advance of 9d per bushel since our last report. Asparagus was easier and was quoted at 2s to 6s per dozen bunches. Parsnips show a decline of 3d per dozen. All other lines sold steadily at late quotations.

Quotations are as follows :—Cabbages, 1s 6d to 2s 6d ; cauliflowers, 2s, prime up to 3s 6d ; carrots, 8d to 9d ; turnips, 8d to 9d ; lettuce, 6d ; radishes, 6d ; beetroot, 1s per dozen bunches ; peas, 2s to 3s 6d per bushel ; parsnips, 1s to 1s 8d per dozen bunches ; herbs, 9d to 1s ; mint, 1s 6d ; rhubarb, 2s per dozen bunches ; eschalots, 1s ; leeks, 8d to 10d ; parsley, 1s ; spinach, 1s ; asparagus, 2s to 6s ; horseradish, 2s to 3s ; celery, 1s 6d to 2s ; white cucumbers, 2s ; pumpkins, 2s 6d to 4s ; red cabbage, 5s per dozen ; sweet potatoes, 4s ; new kidney, 9s to 10s ; Swedes, 1s per dozen bunches ; onions, 6d to 6d per dozen bunches ; marrows, 1s ; new Early Rose, 6s per cwt. ; broad beans, 2s 6d per bushel ; tomatoes, 4s to 4s 6d per quarter-case.

MELBOURNE FAT STOCK MARKET.

[By Telegraph.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

The supply of fat sheep in the live stock market to-day was much lighter than that of last week, which was unusually heavy, only 14,500 having been yarded. Owing to the decrease in the number of Riverina to about 4500 head, the proportion of good and prime was very limited. The demand was slightly firmer, and although not so much difficulty was experienced in effecting sales, as at last week's market, yet no alteration in prices can be quoted. Very few crossbreds were yarded. Prime crossbred wethers, 12s to 13s ; prime merino wethers, 9s to 10s 6d ; prime crossbred ewes, 10s to 11s ; prime merino wethers, 11s to 12s 6d, a few extra 13s to 13s 6d ; good ditto, 9s 6d to 11s ; second ditto, from 9s ; prime merino ewes, 8s to 9s 6d, a few to 10s ; merino wethers (shorn), 6s 6d to 8s ; merino (shorn), 5s to 6s. The supply of fat lambs proved largely in excess of requirements, the demand having been remarkably slow, and extremely dull at substantially reduced rates. Prime sold at 6s to 7s 6d ; extra, 8s to 8s 6d ; good, 4s 9d to 5s 6d ; second inferior, 2s 6d to 4s 6d.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

Little business was done in the Mining market yesterday, the only sales reported being of Central Broken Hill shares at 6s 11d and 6s 10d, and British at 3s 1d.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The latest quotations were :—

Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.			Broken Hill ... 50/	60/
Hetton ... 4/6	5/		Central ... 6/6	7/
Stockton ... 5/6	7/		Junction ... 2/4	...
Vale of Clwydd 4/	5/		GOLD.	
Wallsend ... 10½	22		Bayley's, Reward, No. 18, 51/	58/
Wickam and Bull's Island 10/3	10/9		Portu

Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ALBERT W. RICKWOOD are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved infant SON, Albert W. M., to move from his residence, 230 Young-street, Annandale, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHAS. KINSELA, Undertaker, 765 George-street, and Oxford-st.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JOHN F. FARRELL are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will move from his late residence, No. 65 Ultimo-road, Ultimo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. LOUISA FARRELL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, John F., which will move from her residence, No. 65 Ultimo-road, Ultimo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOHN, HENRY, and Misses ELIZABETH and MARGARET FARRELL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER; which will move from their residence, No. 65 Ultimo-road, Ultimo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOSEPH, JOHN, and LEWIS PUCKERIDGE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their deceased BROTHER-IN-LAW, John F. Farrell; which will move from No. 65 Ultimo-road, Ultimo, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

COURT UNITY, No. 632, O.R.F.—The OFFICERS and MEMBERS of the above Court are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of our late Brother, JOHN FARRELL, to move from his late residence, 65 Ultimo-road, THIS DAY, Wednesday, 3rd October, at 1.45 p.m., to the Mortuary station, and thence to Rookwood Cemetery.
JAMES BERRY, secretary.

THE FRIENDS of THOMAS and ELLEN M'INERNY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, Thomas Reginald; to move from their residence, No. 26 Abercrombie-street, city, TO-MORROW (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL O'CONNOR are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved NEPHEW, Thomas Reginald M'Inerny; to move from No. 26 Abercrombie-street, city, TO-MORROW (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock punctually, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM H. PALMER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved NEPHEW, Thomas R. M'Inerny; which will move from No. 26 Abercrombie-street, city, TO-MORROW (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. WOOD and COMPANY.

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THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOHN and CHARLES MUNRO are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved FATHER, Mr. John Munro; to leave his late residence, Bank-street, North Sydney, at half-past 3 o'clock, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, for H. HOWARD, Undertaker, Walker-street, North Sydney.

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